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# MEREDITH COLLEGE



STUDENT HANDBOOK 1967-1968

# Office Hours

# of the Dean of Students

## MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

11:30 A.M.—12:15 P.M.

1:45 P.M.— 2:15 P.M.

4:45 P.M.— 5:30 P.M.

### **SATURDAY**

9:00 A.M.—12:00 Noon

1:15 P.M.— 1:45 P.M.

4:45 P.M.— 5:15 P.M.

### **SUNDAY**

9:00 A.M.— 9:15 A.M.

2:00 P.M.— 3:00 P.M.

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# College Calendar

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The purpose of Meredith College is to develop in its students the Christian attitude toward the whole of life, and to prepare them for intelligent citizenship, homemaking, graduate study, and for professional and other fields of service. Its intention is to provide not only thorough instruction, but also culture made perfect through the religion of Jesus Christ. These ideals of academic integrity and religious influence have always been cherished at Meredith.

# The Honor Code

All life at Meredith is based upon the honor code, which is drawn up and defined by the students of the college.

The honor code means that:

Each student is expected to be honest and truthful at all times.

Each student is personally responsible for her own conduct, for her obligations to the college community, and for informing herself of and for abiding by the college regulations. If a student breaks a regulation, she is expected to correct her offense by reporting herself to the proper authorities: in an academic matter, to the instructor concerned; in an administrative matter, to the officer of administration concerned; and in a student government matter, to an upperclass member of the Judicial Board.

A student is responsible for seeing that the honor code is carried out at all times. If she is aware of a violation of the code by another student, it is her duty to see that the offender reports the violation.

The honor code is violated when a student is dishonest or untruthful, when a student fails to report herself for a rule infraction, or when a student fails to correct a violation of the code by another student.

Three basic principles underlie the honor code: at all times, a student shows absolute integrity, fulfills her community obligations, and assumes responsibility for her fellow citizens in the community. The students of Meredith have adopted and agreed to live by this honor code because they believe it to be the basis of successful and effective self-government.

## **PLEDGE**

Early in the fall semester this pledge will be signed and filed with Student Government Association in fulfillment of Article III of the constitution:

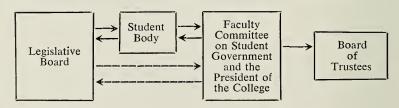
I understand the principles and responsibilities of self-government group living, and I realize that I am pledging my full co-operation in maintaining our honor system. I promise that by personal action and attitudes I will uphold the principles of the honor code of Meredith College.

# Grant of Powers

The Board of Trustees approves the adoption and operation by the faculty and the student body of what is commonly known as student government, subject, however, to the following limitations:

- 1. The following matters are reserved from student control, and as to these the faculty and the officers of the college shall have control:
  - a. All academic matters.
  - b. All matters affecting the health of the students.
  - c. Chapel programs.
  - d. Organization of the clubs and societies.
  - e. Control of college property.
- 2. To the President, to the Dean, and to the Dean of Students, with their respective committees, is reserved the right to handle special cases of discipline which in their judgment can best be handled in this way; subject to the right of the Trustees to review the same, if they so desire.
- 3. The Trustees reserve all powers and authority not hereinbefore specifically granted to others, and reserve the right to modify or repeal this grant of authority at any time at their discretion.

#### LEGISLATIVE OPERATION OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT



New regulations or changes in regulations may arise in the Legislative Board and go to the student body for discussion, be sent to the Faculty Committee on Student Government and the President of the College for approval, and then be taken back to the student body for final vote. Such legislation may also arise in the student body and go to the Legislative Board and then to the Faculty Committee and the President. Regulations or changes must be passed by all three bodies before becoming effective. If the change affects college policy, it must be passed by the Board of Trustees.

# OFFICERS OF

# Student Government Association



JEANNIE SAMS
President of Association

# VICE-PRESIDENTS OF THE ASSOCIATION



TEENIE SINK
Chairman of the
Legislative Board



CAROLYN McGrady Chairman of the Judicial Board



PATSY BURKS
Chairman of the
Student Activities
Board



Brenda Smith Chief Counselor



HOPE GLOVER
Nominating Committee
Chairman and Handbook Editor



ALMA JO HALL President of Non-Resident Students

# Student Government Association

# STUDENT GOVERNMENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE Jeannie Sams—President of the Association

Teenie Sink	
	Chairman of Legislative Board
Carolyn McGrady	Vice-President of Association
	Chairman of Judicial Board
Patsy Burks.	Vice-President of Association
Cha	airman of Student Activities Board
Alma Jo Hall	Nonresident Student President
Patsy James.	Treasurer of Association
Brenda Smith	Chief Counselor
To Be Elected.	Student Activities Representative
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Teenie Sink-	—Chairman
Hope GloverNominating Committ	tee Chairman and Handbook Editor
Patsy James	
Lisa Oates	
Alma Jo Hall	Nonresident Student President
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Anita Burt, Sheryl Deal, Angie Prid	gen, Mary Jewel Shipp
	Vann Vice-Presidents
Teesie Ayers, Beth Smith, Susan St	one
Roma Bowen	Sophomore Representative
Jane Lockman	Sophomore Representative
Nancy Tyren	Sophomore Representative
To Be Elected	(2) Freshman Representatives

## JUDICIAL BOARD

# Carolyn McGrady—Chairman

Brenda Smith	ef Counselor
Cindy GriffithSecretary of Ju	
Donna Hanson Brew	er President
Becky Batson Faircle	oth President
Susan Hout	
Carol PriceVa	
Jean Levin Pote	
Kathy Holden	nt Treasurer
Barbara Bailey	
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Katie Dozier	Sophomore Representative
Lee Winstead	Sophomore Representative
To Be Elected	(2) Freshman Representatives

# STUDENT ACTIVITIES BOARD Patsy Burks—Chairman

Class Vice-Presidents: Diane Jackson, Nancy Hinson, Bonnie Sparks Society Vice-Presidents: Peggy Noffsinger, Bet Garrett

Nonresident Students' Secretary: Patsy Eddins

Chairman of Concerts and Lectures: Judy Kornegay

Club Presidents: Judith Alexander, Sherry Allsbrook, Dudley Barbee, Marsha Beard, Ginger Cheek, Carole Evans, Brenda Carole Jones, Betty McNeill, Linda Mashburn, Mary Kathryn Moffitt, Happy Neal, Julianne Parham, Diane Parker, Millicent Wood

# STUDENT COUNSELORS

## Brenda Smith—Chief Counselor

Pat Armstrong, Emma Bartholomew, Lynn Boland, Roma Bowen, Sandra Bridgman, Donna Crocker, Sara Davis, Katie Dozier, Sharon Ervin, Charlotte Gantt, Susan Gibson, Evelyn Godwin, Pam Gourley, Nancy Graves, Kathleen Grogan, Cherie Gulley, Susan Hernly, Carolyn Kennedy, Lou Pearce, Anne Pretlow, Susan Roebuck, Judy Shepherd, Jeanne Spach, Bonnie Sparks, Peggy Timmerman, Paula Tudor, Mary Turner, Gail Van Doeren, Karen Watson, Margaret Whitlow, Lee Winstead, Becky Hinson, Ayn Sullivan, Linda Haddock, Priscilla Beck, Jo Carole Brumley, Ryllis Miller, Ann Robertson, Cindy Zeliff, Becky Eatman, Ginger Owens, Ann Hrabanek, Susan Norman, Bootsie Thompson, Martha Ann Butler

# NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Hope Glover	Nominating Committee Chairman
	S. G. A. President
	M. C. A. President
	M. R. A. President
Brenda Smith	Chief Counselor
	Twig Editor
	Nonresident Student President
Patsy Wilson	Junior Class President
	Junior Class Vice-President
	Junior Class Representative
Peggy Williams	
	Sophomore Class Vice-President
	Sophomore Class Representative
	Freshman Class President
To Be Elected	Freshman Class Vice-President
To Be Elected	Freshman Class Representative
Carolyn McGrady	S. G. A. Vice-President
Teenie Sink	S. G. A. Vice-President
	S. G. A. Vice-President

# Constitution

of the

# STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

#### ARTICLE I

NAME

This association shall be called the Student Government Association of Meredith College.

#### ARTICLE II

OBJECT

The object of the Association shall be the government and welfare of the student body.

#### ARTICLE III

#### MEMBERSHIP AND RESPONSIBILITY

Section 1. Membership. Upon registration at Meredith all students working toward a degree shall become members of the Student Government Association. Resident students are under jurisdiction of the Association in all matters; non-resident students are under immediate jurisdiction of the Association, except in matters which are under the control of their parents or guardians.

SEC. 2. Responsibility. Each student in coming to Meredith College accepts college citizenship involving self-government under the Honor Code, which, as defined by the Student Government Association, means that:

Each student is expected to be honest and truthful at all times.

Each student is personally responsible for her own conduct, for her obligations to the college community, and for informing herself of and abiding by the college regulations. If a student breaks a regulation, she is expected to correct her offense by reporting herself to the proper authority: in an administrative matter, to the officer of administration concerned; in an academic matter, to the instructor concerned; and in a student government matter, to an upperclass member of the Judicial Board.

Each student is responsible for seeing that the Honor Code is carried out at all times. If she is aware of a violation of the Code by another student, it is

her duty to see that the offender reports the violation.

SEC. 3. Statement of responsibilities. Each student early in her first semester shall sign a statement concerning her responsibilities as a member of the Student Government Association.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. Officers. The officers of the Association shall consist of a president, three vice-presidents, two secretaries, a treasurer, a nominating committee chairman and Handbook editor, and a chief counselor.

SEC. 2. Duties.

A. President. It shall be the duty of the president of the Association to preside over all meetings of the Association; to preside over all meetings of the Student Government Executive Committee; to serve as an ex-officio member of the Judicial, Legislative. and Student Activities Boards, attending at her discretion the regular meetings of the three boards; to appoint a parliamentarian if she so chooses; and to perform other duties that may fall upon her as president of the Association.

B. Vice-Presidents. It shall be the duty of one vice-president to serve as chairman

of the Legislative Board; one vice-president to serve as chairman of the Judicial Board; and one vice-president to serve as chairman of the Student Activities Board. They shall perform also other duties that may fall upon them as vice-presidents of the Association.

C. Secretaries. It shall be the duty of the legislative secretary to perform all secretarial duties for the Association and for the Legislative Board; to be responsible for all general correspondence of the Association; and it shall be the duty of the judicial secretary to perform all secretarial duties for the Judicial Board.

D. Treasurer. It shall be the duty of the treasurer of the Association to keep a strict and permanent account of all receipts and expenditures of the Association, to prepare monthly reports to be signed jointly by her and the Dean of Students; and to submit the records for annual audit. It shall be her further duty to distribute to the campus organizations the funds allocated for each in the student activities budget, and to check the monthly reports of the treasurers of all organizations and collect the records for annual audit.

E. Nominating Committee Chairman and Handbook Editor. It shall be the duty of the nominating committee chairman and handbook editor to serve as chairman of the nominating committee and as editor of the Student Handbook.

F. Chief Counselor. It shall be the duty of the Chief Counselor to select, in co-operation with the administrative officer who is advisor to the counselors' group, the freshman and transfer counselors; to preside over meetings of the counselors; and to appoint committees as needed.

#### ARTICLE V

#### ORGANIZATION

There shall be a Student Government Executive Committee, a Legislative Board, a Judicial Board, a Student Activities Board, a nonresident student organization, and, for each dormitory, a house council.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### STUDENT GOVERNMENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

SECTION 1. Function.

A. It shall be the function of the Student Government Executive Committee to serve as the executive branch of the Association. It shall put into effect such changes in the constitution and the regulations of the Association as have been approved by the Legislative Board, the Association, the Faculty Committee on Student Government, and the President of the College.

B. It shall act as the co-ordinating body by keeping itself informed of legislative proposals, judicial decisions, and plans made by the Student Activities Board. It shall discuss over-all policy, including problems arising within the three boards; propose legislation; and make other recommendations and suggestions for appropriate action to the proper board.

C. When the circumstances warrant, the Executive Committee shall summon before the Judicial Board any member of the Association.

D. It shall be the function of the Student Government Executive Committee to educate the student body concerning form, function, and regulations of the Student Government Association.

SEC. 2. Membership. The Student Government Executive Committee shall consist of the president of the Association; the three vice-presidents: the president of the nonresident students; the chief counselor; the treasurer of the Association; and a representative elected from and by the Student Activities Board, who shall perform all secretarial duties of the Committee.

SEC. 3. Meetings. The Student Government Executive Committee shall meet regularly to consider the business of that body. During the year there shall be regular joint meetings with the Faculty Committee on Student Government.

SEC. 4. Quorum. Two-thirds of the members of the Student Government Executive Committee shall constitute a quorum.

#### ARTICLE VII

#### LEGISLATIVE BOARD

SECTION 1. Function.

A. It shall be the function of the Legislative Board to recommend to the student body, changes in the Constitution and in the regulations of the Association.

B. It shall be the function of the Legislative Board to receive recommendations concerning changes in the constitution and in regulations of the Association from student groups or from the entire student body, from the Faculty Committee on Student Government, or from the Student Government Executive Committee. The Legislative Board shall refer such changes as are accepted by the Board to the Association for discussion; it shall then refer such changes to the Faculty Committee on Student Government and the President of the College, and to the Association for final vote.

SEC. 2. Membership. The Legislative Board shall be composed of the chairman of the legislative board, the treasurer of the Association, the Nominating Committee chairman and handbook editor, the secretary of the Legislative Board, the president of the nonresident students, the dormitory vice-presidents, three sophomore representatives, and two freshman representatives.

SEC. 3. Duties of the Officers.

A. Chairman. It shall be the duty of the chairman of the legislative board to preside over all meetings of the Legislative Board; to call any meetings she may deem necessary; and to appoint committees as needed.

B. The Secretary of the Legislative Board. It shall be the duty of the secretary of the Legislative Board to record the proceedings of the meetings of the Association and of the Legislative Board; and to submit to the Faculty Committee on Student Government all recommendations of the Board concerning changes in the constitution and in regulations of the Association.

C. Class Representatives.

- 1. Sophomore. It shall be the duty of the sophomore representatives to assist the Handbook editor in editing the Student Handbook; to supervise the checking and recording of chapel attendance, and to appoint students to assist them in carrying out this duty; and to act as substitute dorm checkers.
- 2. Freshman. It shall be the duty of the freshman representatives to assist the Handbook editor in editing the Student Handbook.
- SEC. 4. Meetings. The Legislative Board shall meet regularly to consider the business of that group. During the year there shall be regular joint meetings with the Faculty Committee on Student Government.
- SEC. 5. Quorum. Two-thirds of the members of the Legislative Board shall constitute a quorum.

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### JUDICIAL BOARD

SECTION 1. Function.

A. It shall be the function of the Judicial Board to withdraw privileges from and impose penalties upon any member of the Association who has committed an infraction of a regulation of the Association or has violated the Honor Code. The penalties of probation, suspension, and expulsion shall be subject to the approval of the Faculty Committee on Student Government and the President of the College.

B. It shall be the function of the Judicial Board to summon before it and reprimand any member of the Association whose conduct warrants such action.

C. It shall be the function of the Judicial Board to request that any member of the Student Government Association, including members of the four governing bodies, appear before the board at the hearing of a case to give pertinent information. These witnesses shall have no vote.

D. It shall be the function of the Judicial Board, upon a two-thirds vote of

the members of the Board, to require the holder of any campus office who has not shown herself worthy of responsibility to withdraw from that office.

- SEC. 2. Membership. The Judicial Board shall be composed of the chairman, the secretary of the Judicial Board, the dormitory presidents, a representative elected by the nonresident students to be either a sophomore or a junior, three senior representatives, two sophomore representatives, and two freshman representatives.
  - SEC. 3. Duties of the Officers.
- A. Chairman. It shall be the duty of the chairman of the Judicial Board to preside over all meetings of the Judicial Board, and to call necessary meetings of that Board.
- B. The Secretary of the Judicial Board. It shall be the duty of the secretary of the Judicial Board to record the proceedings and decisions of all meetings of the Board, and to submit to the Faculty Committee on Student Government such decisions of the Board as must be approved by that Committee and referred to the President of the College. It shall be her further duty to keep a record of all call downs and campuses and to issue pink slips.
- C. Class Representatives. It shall be the duty of the class representatives to serve as members of the point system committee.
- SEC. 4. Meetings. The Judicial Board shall meet regularly to consider the business of that body. Whenever a major case is being considered, the Faculty Committee on Student Government shall meet with the Judicial Board to hear and evaluate evidence. The Committee shall meet with the Board whenever joint discussion of mutual problems is desired.
- SEC. 5. Quorum. Two-thirds of the members of the Judicial Board shall constitute a quorum.
- SEC. 6. Student Appeal. Any decision of the Judicial Board may be appealed by the student concerned through regular channels in sequence; that is, through the Judicial Board, the Faculty Committee on Student Government, the President of the College, and, finally, the Board of Trustees.

#### ARTICLE IX

#### STUDENT ACTIVITIES BOARD

SECTION 1. Function.

- A. It shall be the function of the Student Activities Board to educate the student body in standards of social behavior.
- B. It shall be the function of the Student Activities Board to encourage the development of cultural interests by promoting a strong and varied program outside the classroom.
- C. It shall be the function of the Student Activities Board to promote a broad program of social activities for students, administration, faculty, and groups off campus.
- SEC. 2. Membership. The Student Activities Board shall be composed of the chairman, a representative of all clubs meeting the requirements of the Board, a representative of each class, a representative of each society, a representative of the Playhouse, and the secretary of the nonresident students.
  - SEC. 3. Duties of the Members.
- A. Chairman. It shall be the duty of the chairman of the Student Activities Board to preside over meetings of the Student Activities Board, to call meetings when necessary, and to appoint committees as needed. It shall be her duty to promote social standards.
- B. Club Representatives. The presidents of all clubs meeting the requirements of the Board, with the exception of those clubs already affiliated with the Meredith Recreation Association or the Meredith Christian Association, shall serve as members of the Student Activities Board.
- C. Class Representatives. The vice-president of each class shall serve as a member of the Student Activities Board.

- D. Society Representatives. The vice-president of each society shall serve as a member of the Student Activities Board.
- E. Secretary and Student Executive Committee Representatives. From these members, the Student Activities Board shall elect its secretary and one representative, in addition to the chairman, to serve as a member of the Student Government Executive Committee.
- F. Student Chairman of Concerts and Lectures Committee. An upperclass student will be appointed each spring by the Executive Committee of the Student Government Association to serve as Student Chairman of Concerts and Lectures Committee and as a member of the Student Activities Board.
- SEC. 4. Approval. The plans for major activities made by the Student Activities Board shall be subject to the approval of the Faculty Committee on Student Government.
- Sec. 5. Meetings. The Student Activities Board shall meet regularly to consider the business of that body. During the year there shall be regular joint meetings with the Faculty Committee on Student Government.
- SEC. 6. Quorum. Two-thirds of the members of the Student Activities Board shall constitute a quorum.

#### ARTICLE X

#### DORMITORY ORGANIZATION

Section 1. Officers and Their Duties.

- A. President. It shall be the duty of the dormitory president to preside over the meetings of the house council of her dormitory. It shall be her duty to enforce dormitory regulations, and to supervise the work of the vice-presidents. It shall also be the duty of the dormitory president to serve as a member of the Judicial Board.
- B. Vice-President. It shall be the duty of each dormitory vice-president to serve as proctor on the hall, enforcing all rules of the Association pertaining to the government of the dormitory. It shall be her duty to serve as a member of the house council, thus working with the house president on dormitory-wide activities and problems.

#### SEC. 2. House Council.

A. Membership. The House Council of each dormitory shall be composed of the dormitory president, who shall act as chairman; the dormitory vice-presidents; and the assistant hall proctors, elected by the individual halls.

- B. Duties of Officers.
  - 1. Chairman. It shall be the duty of the chairman of the House Council to preside over all meetings of the House Council and to call necessary meetings of that Council.
  - Secretary. The secretary, to be elected from proctors or assistants, shall record minutes and send copies to other House Councils, secretary of the Judicial Board, and the Dean of Students' Office.
  - 3. Representative to the Student Activities Board. The representative to the Student Activities Board shall be elected from among the assistant hall proctors.
- C. Functions. The functions of the House Councils shall be as follows:
  - 1. To provide an opportunity for administrative officials of dormitories to discuss problems, policies, and procedures.

    To enforce quiet regulations and maintain order.

  - 3. To handle routine offenses referred to the Council by the chairman of the Judicial Board, such as:
    a. Lateness in excess of 15 minutes and no more than 30 minutes.

    - b. Failure to sign four-year card when a special permission has been signed.
    - c. Parking violations.
    - d. Other minor offenses as they occur.
  - 4. To recommend consideration of more serious cases to the Judicial Board for stricter penalties.

- To provide over-all unity within dormitory structure, such as planning dormitory-wide activities.
- D. Meetings. The House Council shall meet regularly to consider the business of that group.
- E. Quorum. Two-thirds of the members of the House Council in each dormitory shall constitute a quorum.
- F. Student Appeal. Any decision of the House Councils may be appealed to the Judicial Board.

#### ARTICLE XI

#### NONRESIDENT STUDENT ORGANIZATION

SECTION 1. Officers and their Duties.

- A. President. It shall be the duty of the president of the nonresident students to preside over meetings of the nonresident students; to act as chairman of orientation for nonresident students; and to perform all other duties that may fall upon her as president of the nonresident students.
- B. Secretary. It shall be the duty of the secretary of the nonresident students to record the proceedings of all meetings of the nonresident students and to be responsible for all necessary correspondence. It shall be her duty to assume the duties of the president of the nonresident students should the president at any time be unable to perform her duties. The secretary of the nonresident students shall be elected by that group alone.
- C. Treasurer. It shall be the duty of the treasurer of the nonresident students to keep an accurate record of all receipts and expenditures of the nonresident student organization, and to submit these financial records for annual audit.
- SEC. 2. Meetings. There shall be a meeting of the nonresident students whenever deemed necessary by the president of the nonresident students. A meeting must be called by her upon the written request of ten per cent of the nonresident students or at the request of any of the four Student Government bodies.

#### ARTICLE XII

#### NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

SECTION 1. Nomination.

A. Nominating Committee.

- 1. Membership. There shall be a Nominating Committee, composed of the nominating committee chairman who is also the Handbook editor; the presidents of the Student Government Association, Meredith Christian Association, Meredith Recreation Association, and the Nonresident Students; the Chief Counselor; the editor-in-chief of the Twig; the presidents and vice-presidents of the freshman, sophomore, and junior classes, and one representative elected from each of these three classes; the Chairman of the Legislative, Judicial, and the Student Activities Boards; the Dean of Students; and three members of the faculty or administration chosen by the student members of the committee.
- 2 Duties
  - a. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Committee to nominate candidates for offices (1) directly responsible to the whole student body or (2) important within the framework of those organizations listed in the Student Government Constitution. The committee shall nominate the presidents and vice-presidents of the Student Government Association, Meredith Christian Association, and Meredith Recreation Association, president of the Nonresident Students, secretaries of the Judicial and Legislative Boards, Chief Counselor, dormitory presidents and vice-presidents, and nominations and Handbook chairman, Religious Emphasis Week chairman, Worship chairman, the editors and business managers of the three publications, and the College Marshal.
  - b. The Nominating Committee shall appoint and swear into office the

election officials and shall make any changes in the rules for nomi-

nation and election that it deems necessary.

c. The Nomination Committee shall consider recommendations made by the Activity Point System Committee concerning changes in the point system and shall recommend to the Student Government Association for consideration any changes which are deemed advisable.

B. Student Petition. Nominations may be made by student petition. A student petition must be signed by ten per cent of the student body in general elections and by ten per cent of a society in a society election.

### Sec. 2. Election.

A. Oualifications for voting. In order to vote in elections held by the Association, a student must be a member of the Student Government Association, must have been enrolled as a student for one semester immediately preceding the election, and must be registered to vote.

B. Validation of elections. For any election to be valid, two-thirds of the registered voters must have voted. A majority of votes cast shall elect all officers in elections held by the Association. In the case in which more than two candidates seek office and no one receives a majority of votes, the two receiving the largest number of votes cast will run in a special election to be held within a week following the original election.

C. Eligibility. A student who is suspended, who is on probation, or who is not on the Eligibility List, may not run for or be appointed to the following offices:

1. Any major office.

- 2. Any office for which the Nominating Committee nominates candidates.

  3. Representatives to any of the three Student Government Association boards.
- 4. May Queen, Maid of Honor, or class representatives to the May Court.

D. Classification of Officers.

1. The president of the Association, the chairmen of the legislative, judicial, and student activities boards, the chief counselor, the chairman of the nominating committee and Handbook editor, the president of the nonresident students, and the president of Poteat Dormitory shall be elected from the incoming senior class.

2. The treasurer of the Association, the secretary of the nonresident students, and presidents of dormitories other than Poteat shall be elected from the

incoming junior class.

3. The secretary of the Legislative Board and the secretary of the Judicial Board shall be elected from the incoming sophomore class.

4. The dormitory vice-presidents shall be elected from the incoming senior

or junior classes.

5. The treasurer of the nonresident students shall be elected from the incoming junior or the incoming sophomore classes.

#### SEC. 3. Vacancies.

A. A vacancy which occurs before the installation of officers shall be filled by a special election.

- B. With the exceptions noted in C and D below, a vacancy which occurs after the installation of officers shall be filled by appointment by the president of the Association upon recommendation of the Nominating Committee with the joint approval of the Student Government Executive Committee and the Board concerned.
- C. A vacancy which occurs in the office of president of the Association shall be filled by one of the three vice-presidents of the Association by recommendation of the Nominating Committee with the approval of the Student Government Executive Committee.
- D. A vacancy in the position of dormitory president which occurs during the summer shall be filled by appointment by the president of the Association and the chairman of Judicial Board after consultation with the Dean of Students. A vacancy in the position of dormitory vice-president which occurs during the summer shall be filled by the president of the Association and the chairman of

the Legislative Board after consultation with the Dean of Students. Such appointments shall be presented to the respective Boards for ratification at an early fall meeting.

SEC. 4. Assumption of Duties. The officers shall enter upon their duties after the installation, which shall be no sooner than April 15 and no later than May 1.

#### ARTICLE XIII

#### ACTIVITY POINT SYSTEM AND THE POINT SYSTEM COMMITTEE

SECTION 1. Activity Point System. There shall be an activity point system, adopted by the Student Government Association, to distribute the work and responsibilities of student organizations.

SEC. 2. Activity Point System Committee.

A. Membership. There shall be an Activity Point System Committee composed of the vice-president of the Meredith Christian Association, who shall serve as chairman, the vice-president of the Meredith Recreation Association, and the senior, sophomore, and freshman representatives of the Judicial Board of the Student Government Association.

B. Duties. It shall be the duty of the Activity Point System Committee to enforce the point system. It shall make a survey in the early part of the fall semester to determine the number of points each student holds. It shall receive recommendations from the student organizations concerning changes to be made in the point system and shall consider and transmit such recommendations as it sees necessary to the Nominating Committee.

C. Advisory Committee. There shall be an Advisory Committee composed of the Dean of Students and the Dean of the College, which shall meet with the Committee when deemed necessary.

#### ARTICLE XIV

#### MEETINGS, ORDER FOR BUSINESS, AND QUORUM

SECTION 1. Meetings of the Association.

A. Regular Meetings. There shall be regularly scheduled meetings of the Association for the purpose of discussion and transaction of business.

B. Called Meetings. The president of the Association may call a meeting of the Association at any time. A meeting must be called by her at the written request of ten per cent of the members. This request must state the object of the meeting.

C. Course in Freshman and Transfer Training. There shall be a special course of training in student government for the freshmen and transfer students at the beginning of their first semester. Attendance at these meetings shall be compulsory. An examination shall be given at the end of the course.

SEC. 2. Order for Business. All business meetings of the Association and its governing bodies shall be conducted according to Robert's Rules of Order as revised in the bylaws.

SEC. 3. Quorum for Ordinary Business of the Association. One-third of the members of the Association shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of ordinary business.

### ARTICLE XV

#### AMENDMENTS

An amendment may be proposed by any of the three boards or the Student Government Executive Committee, by the Faculty Committee on Student Government, or by ten per cent of the members of the Association. The proposed amendment shall be posted at least one week before it is voted upon by the Association. Ratification of an amendment shall require a two-thirds vote of the Association and the approval of the Faculty Committee on Student Government and the President of the College.

#### BYLAWS

Regular business meetings of the Student Government Association shall be conducted by Robert's Rules of Order with the following modification. All debate

shall be limited to ten minutes unless extended for an additional five minutes by a two-thirds vote of the Student Government Association.

## RULES FOR NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

**ELECTION OFFICIALS** 

The election officials shall consist of a general chairman, one registrar, and two

judges of election. Each class shall have one election official.

The election officials shall see that ballots are provided at the polls and that there are no irregularities in the voting. The chairman shall hand the election returns to the chairman of the Nominating Committee.

#### Nominations

1. Nominations shall be posted at least one week before the election.

2. Nominations by student petition shall be turned in to the Nominating Committee Chairman by 1:00 p.m., three days before the election.

3. Candidates will be introduced in an assembly at least two days before the

4. If a single candidate is nominated for an office and has no opposition through student petition, her election shall be official at the time of the opening of the polls on election day.

1. The registration day shall be the Thursday before the first election. When deemed necessary by the Nominating Committee, an additional time may be allowed for registration.

2. The hours for registration shall be from 8:20 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

3. There shall be only one registration. Names will be listed in the registration book and checked at the time of each election.

4. Students may register late in case of necessity at the discretion of the election officials.

#### Voting

1. The day for voting shall be the Thursday after the nomination on Monday night. This may be changed at the discretion of the chairman of the Nominating Committee, if necessary.

2. The hours of voting shall be from 8:20 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

3. There shall be a poll in each dormitory and one accessible to the Day Stu-

dents. The freshman vote shall be indicated.

4. Voting may be done by absentee ballot at the discretion of the election officials. The vote is to be recorded in the presence of the registrar, placed in a sealed envelope, and placed with the other ballots at the time of the election.

TIME OF ELECTIONS

Elections shall begin during the early part of the second semester. The exact date each year will be decided at the discretion of the Chairman of the Nominating Committee and the Dean of Students, in accordance with the college calendar.

The expenses for this system of elections shall be shared equally by the organizations represented on the Nominating Committee.

# ACTIVITY POINT SYSTEM

The point system has been established in order to distribute the responsibilities and work of camous activities.

(1) No student shall be allowed to hold more than 6 points during a college year.

(2) Offices in honor societies do not carry points.

#### 6 Points

S.G.A.—president, three vice-presidents, nonresident students' president, chief counselor

M.C.A.—president M.R.A.—president Class—president

Oak Leaves-editor Twig—editor

#### 5 Points

S.G.A.—nominating committee and Handbook chairman, treasurer M.R.A.—vice-president Societies—president Acorn—editor Oak Leaves—business manager Twig—associate editor, business manager

#### 4 Points

S.G.A.—secretary of Legislative Board, secretary of Judicial Board, dorm president, dorm vice-president, sophomore representative to Legislative Board M.C.A.—devotional chairman

M.R.A.—secretary

Oak Leaves—assistant editor

Twig-managing editor, feature editor, advertising manager, chief typist B.S.U.-president

#### 3 POINTS

S.G.A.—class representative to Judicial Board, freshman representative to Legislative Board, nonresident students' secretary, nonresident students' treasurer M.C.A.—vice-president, social actions chairman, Religious Emphasis Week chairman

M.R.A.—treasurer

Class-vice-president, treasurer, corn huskin' chairman, stunt chairman Societies-vice-president, treasurer

Acorn-business manager

Twig—news editor, columnist Club—president B.S.U.—Listen chairman

Counselor

College marshal

Playhouse—president

#### 2 Points

M.C.A.—treasurer, forum chairman M.R.A.—council member not otherwise specified Class—secretary Societies-marshal Acorn—assistant editor Oak Leaves-staff member not otherwise specified Twig-photographer, reporter, circulation manager, mailing editor Club—vice-president, program chairman B.S.U.—officer and council member not otherwise specified

#### 1 Point

M.C.A.—secretary, council member not otherwise specified Societies-secretary, publicity chairman Acorn—staff member not otherwise specified Oak Leaves—typist Twig—copy editor, cartoonist, typist, advertising staff. Club—officer not otherwise specified B.S.U.—freshman representative, nonresident students' representative

## **ACTIVITY POINT SYSTEM COMMITTEE**

MARY OWENS	M.C.A. Vice-President
CARRIE FRAMPTON	M.R.A. Vice-President
KATIE DOZIER	Sophomore Representative to Judicial Board
LEE WINSTEAD	Sophomore Representative to Judicial Board
BARBARA BAILEY	Senior Representative to Judicial Board
DAVA DREW	Senior Representative to Judicial Board
ANN STONE	Senior Representative to Judicial Board
TO BE ELECTED	Freshman Representatives to Judicial Board

# REGULATIONS OF THE FACULTY COMMITTEE ON STUDENT GOVERNMENT

- 1. Certain campus activities are regulated by a student's academic *Eligibility*.
  - a. The requirements of Eligibility are:

(1) For students who entered college before June, 1966,

(a) A third year sophomore must in the previous semester have passed all courses with an overall average of C or better.

(b) A junior or senior must have an overall average of C or better on all courses thus far completed.

(2) Beginning with the freshman class entering in September, 1966.

(a) A student, regardless of classification, must have a 2.0 quality point ratio on all work attempted at Meredith.

(b) Any new student, whether freshman or transfer student, is considered eligible in her first semester at Meredith.

b. For campus activities regulated by eligibility, see Article XII, Section 2, D of the Student Government Constitution.

2. All public performances and all publications, with the exception of the *Twig*, will be approved in advance by the member of the faculty or administration sponsoring the organization.

3. A student wishing to participate in any regularly scheduled activity which is not normally a part of student life, to accept employment off the campus, or to enroll in a course in another institution except a degree credit course approved by the Dean must make written application to the Faculty Committee on Student Government.

4. Any proposed organization must have its constitution approved by the Faculty Committee on Student Government. All amendments to a constitution must also be presented to the Committee before adoption by the organization. Every organization is required to file a copy of its constitution with the Dean of the College, the Dean of Students, and the college library.

#### COLLEGE CALENDAR

The College Calendar is located in the office of the Dean of Students and contains applications for scheduling events and reserving campus space for specified periods of time. All meetings and all reservations for campus rooms or buildings should be registered. Priority is given to campuswide events and to the earlier date of application. The College Calendar Book contains, besides the application blanks, a chart for the year on which approved events are entered for your information. NEVER WRITE ON IT. To cancel an event which has already been approved, fill out a *new* blank.

In case refreshments are to be served and the group needs college dishes, arrangements must be made with the House Director several days in advance.

Bulletin Boards and Announcements

Bulletin boards should be read daily as students are held responsible for all information contained in notices posted on *official boards* in Johnson Hall. All notices posted should be signed and dated.

#### **COLLEGE POLICIES**

Students are not allowed to smoke on the Meredith College campus, except in dormitory bedrooms and in dormitory parlors, the Bee Hive, the Hut, the student lounges in Hunter and Joyner, and in a room set aside on the second floor of Johnson Hall for use of non-resident students only.

Students do not give dances at Meredith, and no dancing with men is

permitted on the campus.

Students do not drink intoxicants while under, or about to return to, the jurisdiction of the College. Students do not bring intoxicants onto the Meredith College campus.

Students do not have social sororities of any name or kind on the campus, whether national or local, affiliated or unaffiliated with a similar

organization elsewhere.

No soliciting is allowed in the dormitories by outsiders nor by students unless authorized by the Business Manager.

#### CHURCH

Each student is encouraged to attend regularly both Sunday School and worship services at the church of her choice.

#### CHAPEL

All students are required to attend the chapel exercises held Monday through Friday at 10:30 a.m. Five unexcused chapel absences per semester are granted to each student. Chapel absences taken immediately before and/or after a holiday count as a single cut.

The following are excused:

1. Absences taken because of illness (in the infirmary or at home).

2. Absences taken for supervised teaching.

3. Absences taken by nonresident students who have been excused by the Dean at the beginning of each semester.

4. Absences taken when away on college representation.

5. Absences taken in cases deemed exceptional by the Judicial Board.

6. Absences taken to work at the college switchboard.

#### JURISDICTION OF THE COLLEGE

Students are expected to maintain at all times a high standard of personal conduct in keeping with Meredith Principles. Attention is called to the statement on page 47 of the College Catalog: "That Meredith College reserves the right to suspend or to exclude at any time any student whose academic standing or conduct is regarded by Meredith College as undesirable or unacceptable, without the necessity of speci-

fying charges or assigning reasons for suspension or exclusion." Students are under the governing authority of the college when they are within a thirty-five mile radius of the school.

### SOCIAL REGULATIONS

Sign Out System

Dormitory Cards

1. Each student must sign her dormitory card immediately upon leaving and upon returning to the college except for those occasions which require special permission. This record aids in locating a student in case of emergency. Dormitory cards are filled out on a weekly basis and should be turned over or turned in to the hall proctor by 6:00 p.m. every Monday.

2. When going out, each student signs on her card the name of the person with

whom she is going.

3. A student should sign out on her dormitory card when:

a. Leaving the campus except when special permission has been obtained.

b. Dating in the parlor or on the campus.
c. Horseback riding off the campus other than for class.
d. Bicycle riding off the campus.

4. A student may not sign out or in for another dormitory student.

Special Permission Slips (filed in S.P. Board).

A student must sign a special permission slip immediately upon leaving and upon returning to the college for each:

1. Trip outside 10-mile radius of Raleigh. 2. Overnight absence. 3. Late permission.

Four Year Card

Prior to signing her special permission slip a student must secure written permission from a member of the Dean of Students' staff on her four year card for each:

1. Trip outside 35-mile radius of Raleigh.

2. Overnight absence.

(Students are cautioned not to drive alone at night.)

Instead of securing permission on her four-year card, a student may sign her own home-only card under the following conditions:

That she have blanket permission.
 That she be going directly home.
 That the trip be made on the week end.

If an emergency arises and a student cannot change or sign her own dormitory card, she may telephone the Dean of Students or a member of the Student Government Executive Committee and request that the change be made. Only the Dean of Students can sign or change a special permission slip.

Special Privileges

Some privileges require permission from home and from the Dean of Students. All permissions must be mailed directly to the Dean of Students. These privileges include:

1. Any overnight absence from the college.

2. Any trip outside the 35-mile radius of Raleigh.

3. Any overnight stay in a fraternity house, boarding house, tourist home, motel or hotel, unless accompanied by a parent, legal guardian, or husband, requires a specific permission from the parent or legal guardian.

Some privileges require permission from the Dean of Students only. These privileges include:

- 1. Any call at State College Student Union unless accompanied by a Union member or attending a public or school function.
- 2. Any call at a bachelor's quarters or in private rooms of a boarding house, motel, or hotel where men, except legal guardian, immediate family, uncles, or first cousins are present. If a student is in the company of her parent, legal guardian, or husband, other men may be present.
- 3. Any return to the college after regular closing hours.
- 4. Permission to practice plays or hold meetings of any nature after eleven or before rising bell.

Freshmen: At the beginning of the year, a freshman may obtain blanket permission from her parent or guardian for day trips and overnight absences. In addition, until Thanksgiving a freshman must have written permission for each overnight absence other than to her home. All permissions must be mailed directly to the Dean of Students and must state the destination and dates of departure and return.

### One O'Clock Permission

One o'clock permission shall be defined as late permission for Friday and Saturday nights to be used for special events. These events are not specified for those with senior privileges.

- 1. These may be taken in accordance with class privileges and with approval of the Dean of Students.
- 2. Arrangements for this late permission include the following:

a. Sign for permission 48 hours in advance.

b. Sign special permission slip when leaving the college.

- 3. Late permissions may be given for parties which classify as special events and last until one o'clock.
- 4. One o'clock permission may also be granted for the following:
  - a. Dances
  - b. Concerts
  - c. Long movies
  - d. Other approved special events
  - e. Return traveling time in the triangle area
- 5. A student may cancel a one o'clock permission any time before leaving school. If the event the student has gained permission to attend is canceled or changed, the student may cancel her permission upon returning to the college by official closing time or she may use her permission for a comparable approved activity and notify the Dean of Students upon returning to the college.

#### Academic Late Permission

During the week, late permission is given by the Dean of Students to attend events which have been certified as academically valuable by the head of a department. Such permission provides for return to the college immediately after performance.

### Dances

1. Students may attend dances within the 35 mile radius sponsored by approved organizations or institutions. Students do not attend

dances open to the general public.

2. A student may make arrangements to obtain blanket permission from her parents for Raleigh dances and for out of town dances; (until Thanksgiving freshmen must obtain special permission from home for all out of town dances). These permissions must be mailed directly to the Dean of Students.

3. A student may attend a dance without taking a 1:00 permission

provided she return by the regular closing time.

4. When attending a dance in Raleigh (ten-mile radius), a student goes from and returns to the college. However, a student living in the vicinity of Raleigh and spending the week-end at home may attend a dance in Raleigh provided she goes from and returns to her home, in which case a late privilege is not required.

5. When attending a dance out of town within a 35-mile radius of Raleigh, a student may go from and return to the college and is required to take only a one o'clock permission. A student may go to an out-of-town dance within the 35-mile radius and spend

the week-end away from the college.

6. A student may not leave a dance before it is over except to return to the college. She may stop at a public eating place on the way back to the college.

#### Fraternities

Meredith students may visit State College fraternity houses during hours approved by the Meredith Dean of Students. House mothers or other chaperons must be present during the approved hours.

1. Approved functions, other than those held at the house during stated visiting hours, and all functions held away from the house will be registered in the office of the Dean of Students.

2. Students may remain at a fraternity party only during those hours which have been enpressed by Moredith College.

which have been approved by Meredith College.

3. When signing out on her dormitory card, the student must indicate the name of the fraternity she is attending.

Violation of these regulations warrants action by the Judicial Board, unless the penalty is automatic.

#### **CLASS PRIVILEGES**

Each student has privileges of the class of which she is a member according to academic classification. For example, a second year student who is a freshman has freshman privileges. A student who changes aca-

demic classification during a year will subtract the overnights and 1:00 permissions she has taken under her former classification from those she is entitled to in her new classification and be granted the remainder.

A day privilege may extend as late as 7:30 p.m. and an evening privilege may begin as early as 6:00 p.m. Students may stay out until 11:00 p.m. Sunday through Thursday, until 11:30 p.m. on Friday, and until 12:00 midnight on Saturday.

Students are reminded that it is safer to go out in a group, when

leaving the campus after dark.

Dating always counts as a privilege, on or off the campus. If a date comes unexpectedly to see a student, she may see him for fifteen minutes without using a privilege. More than one fifteen minute date during a day or an evening counts as a regular privilege. Some activities which do not count as privileges, provided the student is not dating, are classes held away from campus, on-campus business appointments, on-campus visits with relatives, trips to business establishments in Wilmont (which extends from Roy's to Dixie Trail) or to the Ridgewood shopping area, and attendance at church for morning and evening services on Sunday. When going to Ridgewood or the Wilmont area without a date, a student need not sign out.

An overnight is defined as one night away from the college in the period from Friday to Monday. Permission for overnight absence during the week, or for needed travel time, may be given in exceptional

cases by the Dean of Students.

#### Freshmen.

1. Three day engagements per week.

Three evening engagements per week.
 Six one o'clock privileges per year.

4. Seven overnights first semester; nine overnights second semester.

5. When dating off campus, after 7:30 p.m. freshmen will double date with a Meredith student until the first open week-end.

# Sophomores.

1. Four day engagements per week.

Four evening engagements per week.
 Seven one o'clock privileges per year.

4. Twenty-two overnights.

#### Juniors.

- 1. Social engagements at their discretion.
- 2. Eight one o'clock privileges per year.
- 3. Overnights at their discretion.

### Seniors.

- 1. Social engagements at their discretion.
- 2. Nine one o'clock privileges per year.
- 3. Overnights at their discretion.
- 4. Automobiles.

In order to qualify for the privilege of keeping a car while she is in residence, a Meredith College student must be a senior (academic

classification) in good standing (i.e., not on probation), must have secured in advance parental permission on the official form, and by her signature must promise to keep the following agreement:

# I hereby agree:

1. To obey State traffic laws.

2. To abide by all riding regulations.

3. To park only in designated student parking areas on the campus.

4. To permit only seniors in good standing to drive my car (inasmuch as the actual owner of the car is legally responsible in case of accident where the driver is at fault, students are urged to permit such seniors to drive only if liability insurance includes coverage in such cases).

5. To register the car in the office of the Dean of Students within 24 hours after bringing it to the campus, designating at that time

the period for which the privilege is requested.

6. To notify the office of the Dean of Students within 24 hours of

any change in plans as recorded at registration.

7. To display in the right hand lower corner of the front windshield at all times during the period for which the car is registered an official college registration decal (cost \$1.00).

It is understood that a violation of any of these regulations will be considered a breach of contract. A student violating a parking regulation will be penalized by (1) a warning for the first violation, (2) a \$5.00 fine for the second violation, (3) a forfeit of the privilege of keeping a car in residence for the third violation; however, any further violation of any regulation entails forfeit, without warnings, of the privilege of keeping and driving a car while in residence. Where circumstances warrant, a student may appeal her fine or warning to the Judicial Board; in case of forfeit of the privilege the student may apply for its restoration after three months.

## Non-resident Students

In order to qualify for the privilege of parking a car on campus, a non-resident student must register her vehicle on the official form, and by her signature must promise to keep the following agreement:

# I hereby agree:

1. To obey State traffic laws.

2. To abide by all traffic regulations of the campus.

- 3. To park only in designated student parking areas on the campus.
- 4. To register the car in the business office at the designated time.
- 5. To notify the business office whenever the vehicle which is registered is exchanged for another.
- 6. To display in the *right hand lower corner of the front windshield* at all times during the periods for which the car is registered an official college registration decal (cost \$1.00).

A violation of any of these regulations will be considered a breach of contract warranting the same penalties applied to resident students.

#### Married Students

Failure to declare marital status immediately will be regarded as intentional falsification of all college records.

Married students may live in the Meredith dormitories under the

following conditions:

1. Each married student must be accepted by the Dean of Students prior to moving into a dormitory.

2. All student government regulations apply to married students according to their academic classification.

#### SPECIAL PRIVILEGES

- 1. A second semester freshman or a sophomore will be allotted two additional overnights for each semester she is on *Eligibility*.
- 2. A student may borrow one day and/or one evening privilege from the following week with permission from any member of the Student Government Executive Committee or from a dormitory president or a vice-president. During any three-week period, the total number of privileges is not to exceed 9 day and 9 evening privileges for freshmen, or 12 day and 12 evening privileges for sophomores. One privilege of the same type borrowed is withdrawn from the following week.

3. Freshman representatives to the Judicial, Legislative, Student Activities, and M.C.A. boards may leave their lights on, as needed, on the nights that they attend their respective board meetings.

4. Freshmen and sophomores on eligibility may participate in M.C.A. Extension Projects at Dorothea Dix Hospital or at the Blind School once a week without taking a privilege. Any subsequent visit by a student on eligibility and any visit by a student not on eligibility will count as a privilege. (Note: Should similar school sponsored "extension" projects arise which might be included, they would be announced.)

#### DORMITORY REGULATIONS

## Dormitory Hours

Every student must be in her room from official bedtime until rising bell except with permission from her hall proctor. A student obtains permission from her hall proctor to spend the night other than in her room and also tells the proctor on whose hall she is visiting.

# Room Changes

- No student may change her room or roommate until two weeks after classes start.
- Unless an emergency arises, all room changes must be completed by the end of the first six weeks of the first semester. Room changes for second semester must be completed during the first two weeks.
- 3. Students must have permission from the Dean of Students before making any changes.

### Quiet Hours

Reasonable quiet shall be observed in the dormitories at all times and *Busy* signs shall be respected. Special quiet is observed during morning class hours and during evening study hour from 7:30 to 10:00, on all nights except Saturday and Sunday. Radios, record players or other musical instruments must not be heard outside the room during the hours of special quiet. Radios should not be placed in the windows. Official bedtime is 11:15 p.m. Sunday through Thursday, 11:45 p.m. on Friday, and 12:30 a.m. on Saturday. Quiet must be observed after these hours, and each student must remain in her own suite.

1. Second semester freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors may

keep their lights on at their own discretion.

2. First semester freshmen must have their lights out at official bedtime except on Saturday night when they may keep lights on at their own discretion. On one night a week lights may be kept on an hour after official bedtime provided that roommates sign with their hall proctor for the privilege.

## Telephones

Students may use the house and pay telephones located on all dormitory floors. Telephones may not be used between official bedtime and 7:15 a.m. Freshmen may not use the telephones during study hour, 7:30 to 10:00 p.m.—Monday through Thursday. During study hours the telephone will be answered by the student telephone proctor on duty. The student body has voted that telephone conversations be limited to five minutes, unless permission has been obtained from the hall proctor. Pay telephones should be used when calling long distance or sending telegrams.

#### ROOM-CHECK SYSTEM

Bedrooms and bathrooms must be in order by 10:00 a.m. Points are charged for violations as follows:

1.	General untidiness	3
	a. Untidy furniture tops	1
	b. Excess dust in room	1
	c. Overloaded ashtrays	1
2.	Bottles in room or outside door	1/bottle
3.	Rugs and floors unswept	1
4.	Bathroom unclean	2/room
	Excess of clothing about room	1
6.	School property (i.e. cafeteria equipment and parlor fur	niture
	in room to which it has not been assigned.)	1
7.	Beds unmade	
	(On laundry day linens may be folded neatly)	1/bed
8.	Sweeping dirt into hall	1
	Rugs in corridor or on breezeway	1

An accumulation of 24 points per semester will merit 2 call downs per room (one call down per girl).

#### **PENALTIES**

These penalties are drawn up by the Legislative Board. The Judicial Board may give additional penalties for repeated infractions of regulations otherwise handled automatically.

## Pink Slips

Pink slips are warnings given by any member of the student body for breaches of proper social behavior. The accumulation of two pink slips within a year for the same offense warrants judicial action. One pink slip is given for the following:

a. Displaying bad manners in chapel.

b. Wearing gym suits, jodphurs, slacks, or shorts on the first floor of Johnson Hall, in the library, and in the dining room.

c. Wearing a kerchief in class, in chapel, in Johnson Hall at any time; or in the dining room and library except after Saturday lunch.

d. Breaking in the cafeteria line.

e. Wearing slacks or shorts to business areas or eating establishments.

f. Meeting dates in places other than Johnson Hall or front breezeways; however, loading or unloading is permitted in other areas, such as parking lots behind dormitories.

g. Conducting one's self improperly on the breezeways and in cars

parked on the campus.

h. Smoking in restricted areas.

#### **Demerits**

Demerits are given by members of the Legislative and Judicial Boards. Two demerits equal one call down. One demerit is given for the following:

a. Error on dormitory card (not more than two demerits per card).

b. Error on special permission slip (not more than two demerits per special permission slip).

#### Call Downs

Call downs are given by members of the Legislative and Judicial Boards for infractions of regulations. One automatic call down is given for the following:

a. Failure to sign out or failure to sign in on dormitory card. Upon returning to the college, a student who has failed to sign out must report herself to her hall proctor and be allowed to sign in, receiving only one call down.

b. Failure to hand in dormitory card on time or failure to place card, properly filled out, in sign-in box by 6:00 p.m. Monday

(one call down for each day late).

c. Failure to sign in or failure to sign out on special permission slip.

d. Failure to cancel special permission.

e. Failure to sign overnight guests in office of Dean of Students.

f. Failure to sign bed consent form for overnight guest.

g. Making unnecessary noise.

h. Failure to attend required meetings.

- i. Failure to return to the college at the required time. One call down for first fifteen minutes late; for over fifteen minutes, penalty is decided by the Judicial Board. Dorm cards of students who are late will be moved from dormitory boxes to the Dean of Students' office, where students must sign in after 11:00 p.m. Sunday-Thursday, 11:30 p.m. Friday, 12:00 m. Saturday. NOTE: A student who realizes she cannot return to the College by closing time (when she has signed out on her dorm card) or by the time for which she has signed out (when she is signed out on a special permission slip) should call the Dean of Students. She should give her location, reason for being late, and the approximate time she expects to return. Notifying the Dean of Students is the responsibility of the individual student. This does not necessarily excuse the lateness.
- j. Signing out on dormitory cards or special permission slips a day prior to departure.

k. Failure to sign for the use of a dormitory parlor.

1. Failure to observe regulations concerning official bedtime.

The Judicial Board may give additional penalties to resident or non-resident students for failure to comply with infirmary or library regulations.

Withdrawal of privileges is given for infractions of regulations. If a student overdraws her privileges for one week, her corresponding privileges are automatically withdrawn for the following week.

## Campuses

1. The secretary of the Judicial Board notifies a student that she has one week in which to begin campus. (She may be given an additional week to begin if the campus involves an exam week.) She reports to her hall proctor and the Judicial Board secretary the day and hour she is beginning campus. The designated number of days must be served consecutively.

2. Permission to break campus is given by the Student Government president in cases of emergency.

3. Strict campus

a. Given for some offences requiring action by the Judicial Board.

b. Restrictions:

(1) The student must remain on the campus.

(2) The student may have no dates.

(3) The student may use the telephone only to receive emer-

gency calls.

(4) The student may, however, exercise the following social privileges, provided she is not dating: attending community series (i.e. concerts, lectures, plays) and attending Sunday morning and evening church services.

4. Lenient campus

a. Given for the following:

(1) Accumulation of six calldowns

(2) The sixth unexcused chapel absence and the second of every two unexcused absences after the sixth.

(3) Failure to attend required lectures and concerts, with

necessary exceptions approved by the Dean of Students or the Judicial Board.

b. Restrictions same as strict campus except:

(1) The student may make and receive phone calls.

(2) The student may go to Ridgewood and Wilmont business establishments once a day, provided she is not dating.

5. Lenient week-end campus

Lenient week-end campus, which shall be defined as beginning Friday at 8:00 a.m., and ending Monday at 8:00 a.m., is given in cases deemed necessary by the Judicial Board and carries the same restrictions as lenient campus.

6. Non-Resident student campus

a. Given for the sixth unexcused chapel absence and the second of every two unexcused absences after the sixth.

b. Restrictions:

- (1) The student must spend twelve hours in the Day Student Study Room within the period of one week, staying at least one hour at a time.
- (2) The student must sign in and out on the campus book, stating the time she is studying.

*Iudicial Board Action* is taken for the accumulation of six call downs by nonresident students.

*Probation, suspension,* and *expulsion* are given for serious offenses, including the following:

1. Academic dishonesty.

a. Cheating in tests and examinations.

b. Cheating in assignments.

- Accepting of assistance in themes, book reports, book outlines, or other written work either in organization or in corrections in violation of procedures prescribed by individual instructors.
- (2) Failure to give proper credit in written work for quotations and distinctive ideas drawn from the writings of other people. (Note: For research papers, the "Handbook of Form for Research Papers" will be the guide for proper documentation. For other types of written assignments, the instructor will give directions; the responsibility for understanding and carefully following such instructions lies with each student.)

(3) Using another student's mathematical problems, maps, or notes on parallel reading.

(4) Signing for parallel reading which has not been done.

(5) Copying laboratory work from other students.

(6) Using interlined books.

2. Theft.

3. Falsification of college records.

4. General dishonesty.

5. Violation of the drinking policy.

6. Any other offense of a serious nature.

Note: Probation, suspension and expulsion are given upon approval of

two-thirds of the members of the Judicial Board, subject to approval of the Faculty Committee on Student Government and the President of the College.

If a student on probation is returned to the Judicial Board for further violations, either suspension or expulsion will be recommended.

### Probation.

- a. Letter to be sent home.
- b. Statement of offense to be placed in confidential file in the Dean of Students' Office.
- c. Student while on probation to be ineligible to run or be appointed to certain offices (See Article XII, Section 2, C of the Constitution on p. 16).
- d. Either suspension or expulsion to be considered if a student on probation is returned to the Judicial Board for further violations.

# Probation with reduction of social privileges.

- a. Letter to be sent home.
- b. Statement of offense to be placed in confidential file in Dean of Students' Office.
- c. Student while on probation to be ineligible to run for or be appointed to certain offices (See Article XII, Section 2, C of the Constitution on p. 16).
- d. Reduction of social privileges.
  - (1) Freshmen.
    - (a) One less day privilege per week.
    - (b) One less evening privilege per week.
    - (c) Two less overnights for each semester on probation.
  - (2) Sophomores to have freshman privileges.
  - (3) Juniors to have sophomore privileges.
  - (4) Seniors.
    - (a) To have sophomore privileges.
    - (b) Can have cars only with permission from the Dean of Students.

# (NOTE: The number of overnights will be determined by the Judicial Board.)

e. Either suspension or expulsion to be considered if a student on probation is returned to the Judicial Board for further violation.

# Suspension.

- a. After notice of suspension, a student must leave campus within 24 hours.
- b. The student may apply for re-admission to Meredith after a specified period of time.

# Expulsion.

- a. After notice of expulsion, a student must leave the campus within 24 hours.
- b. The student does not have the privilege to apply for re-admission to Meredith.

# The Meredith Campus

#### COLLEGE RESIDENCE

Rooms are 11' x 16' with 2 closets, 2 single beds, 1 study desk with bookshelves, 2 straight-back chairs, 1 double dresser, 1 wall light and an overhead light. Dormitory furniture is not to be rearranged; extra chest of drawers and chairs are unnecessary.

There is a pair of windows in each room 75" x 78" except rooms in all dormitories numbered 114, 115, 218, 219, 318, and 319 measure 97" x 78". The beds are 76" x 36" and are 20" from the floor. Each student brings her own bedding (including a mattress cover) and pillow. It is advisable to have 4 to 6 sheets, dresser scarfs, pillow cases, towels and bath cloths.

Rooms on Fourth Floor Stringfield and Vann are newly constructed and equipped. Each has 2 dormer windows with venetian blinds, except rooms No. 404 and No. 411 have one window each, and No. 407 has three windows. Mattresses for the twin beds in each room are 76" x 36" and are 21" from the floor.

Rooms in Poteat are  $11\frac{1}{2}$ ' x 20' equipped with built-in furniture, comprised of 2 single beds, 2 wardrobes, 2 study desks, with bookcase units above, and 1 double dresser. Mattresses for the beds in each room are 76" x 36" and are 21" from the floor. Each room has a window, size 40" x 62".

#### KITCHENETTES

The student kitchenettes are located on the first floor of Brewer, Stringfield, and Faircloth dormitories and on each floor of Poteat Hall and may be used before 11:00 p.m. Electrical cooking appliances may be used in kitchenettes only—not in student bedrooms.

#### PRESSING ROOMS

Pressing rooms are located on all dormitory floors. The first floor of each dormitory has an automatic washing machine (25c charge) which, however, may not be used to wash bedspreads or rugs. Electric clothes dryers are located on the first floors of Vann, Brewer, and Poteat (25c charge). No machines may be started after 10:30 p.m. Pressing rooms are equipped also with ironing boards, but students must supply the irons.

Sewing machines are located on the first floors of Stringfield and Faircloth, and hair dryers are located on the first floors of all the dormi-

tories. (25c charge)

#### STORAGE

Foot lockers and trunks may be stored at the college during the academic year only. They will be returned to the owner at the end of the year.

#### SPORTS FACILITIES

Tennis courts, stables and riding ring, a swimming pool, and a gymnasium are conveniently located on the campus. The gym provides for

basketball, volleyball, shuffleboard, badminton, roller skating, and other recreational sports. Advanced swimming classes give a student the opportunity of getting her life-saving and instructor's certificates.

### ENTERTAINING ON CAMPUS

Students receive and leave their dates in Johnson Hall.

Dates do not smoke in the Johnson Hall parlors.

Students leave dormitory parlors, hut, and gym ten minutes before closing time.

### ENTERTAINING IN THE FIRST FLOOR DORMITORY PARLORS

Parlors are used for meetings, parties, and dating.

1. Students meet their dates in Johnson Hall and accompany them to these places; that is, a group of boys may not go alone.

2. Dates enter the parlors by court doors only.

3. Rooms on the court side should have shades drawn in the evening.

4. Students do not talk with men from the windows.

5. The faculty parlor on first floor Vann will not be used by students.

### ENTERTAINING IN THE GYM

1. At all times there must be at least two couples.

- 2. Students may wear socks when dating in the gym. Hard leather-soled shoes or black rubber-soled shoes may not be worn by students or their dates.
- 3. Students wishing to use the gym for dating must sign up with the Physical Education Department by 5:00 p.m. on the day on which they plan to use it.

#### ENTERTAINING IN THE HUT

The Hut, which is a log cabin, contains two big fireplaces, television, ping-pong equipment, an electric stove, refrigerator, and kitchen utensils. By making arrangements with the Dean of Students, students may reserve the Hut for parties, dates, and club meetings.

- 1. There must be at least two couples at all times after 6:00 p.m.
- Private parties or public meetings in the Hut must be registered on the calendar in the office of the Dean of Students two days in advance.
- 3. Each group using the Hut is responsible for having it cleaned not later than the next day.

4. Regulations to be observed while using the Hut:

- a. The house director must be notified twenty-four hours in advance if fires are to be laid or dishes to be used.
- b. The key for the Hut must be obtained from the office of the Dean of Students and returned immediately after use.
- All furniture and kitchen equipment must be left clean and in place.

d. No equipment may be taken from the Hut.

e. Fires must be completely out, stove units turned off and refrigerator cleaned before leaving.

f. All windows must be left locked.

- g. Broken or missing equipment must be reported to the house director.
- h. Any abuse of Hut property will cancel the privilege of using the Hut for persons responsible.

#### ENTERTAINING IN THE BEE HIVE

The Bee Hive or the Meredith Supply Store is the college bookstore, supply store, and soda shop, which carries varied items such as cosmetics and school supplies. It contains also a television set for use during leisure time.

- 1. Hours for dating: 3:00 to 7:30 p.m., Monday-Friday
- 2. Students receive and leave dates in Johnson Hall.
- 3. Dates are taken down the walk on the outside of Brewer.
- Students in the Bee Hive during dating hours must be properly dressed.

#### ENTERTAINING ON THE CAMPUS

Guests may be shown the campus during the day.

There is no dating on the campus grounds after dark except for organized college functions which dates may attend.

#### ENTERTAINING OVERNIGHT GUESTS

A Meredith student may entertain a guest in the dormitory only if space is available. Only one guest at a time may be entertained without the permission of the Dean of Students. Prior to the arrival of the guest, the hostess must file in the office of the Dean of Students a *consent form* signed by the person whose bed the guest will be using and she must pay the \$1 registration fee.

- 1. Upon arrival each guest must be registered in the Office of the Dean of Students.
- 2. Guest rooms are reserved in advance with the house director. The rate is \$2 per person per night.
- 3. Meals for guests are arranged with the dining room hostess.
- 4. Groups of delegates attending conferences in Raleigh may not be housed in Meredith dormitories unless special arrangements have been made in advance with the Dean of Students.
- 5. Guests do not enter or leave the college between closing hour and 6:00 a.m. However, when double-dating with a Meredith student who is taking a 1:00 o'clock permission, the guest may also take this privilege if her hostess signs for her in the Dean of Students' office. Each student is responsible for her guest and may be penalized if that guest violates Meredith College regulations.

#### DRESS

At all times appropriate and socially acceptable standards of dress are expected of Meredith students. At Meredith we enjoy the reputation of being neatly dressed. It is part of our educational program. We are proud of this distinction and feel certain that its continuation is a vital part of maintaining our present status in the Raleigh community.

#### SUGGESTED GUIDE TO APPROPRIATE DRESS

Business appointments, doctor and dental appointments, shopping in the downtown area: street dresses, skirts, sweaters, blouses, hose.

Church: suits, dresses, hats, gloves, hose.

Teas: dressy suits or dresses, hats, gloves, hose.

Banquets, receptions: cocktail length or long dresses, gloves, hose.

Luncheons: dresses or suits, hats, gloves, hose.

Concerts, plays, and dinner dates: dresses, suits, gloves, hose.

Picnics and such occasions as informal concerts at the Rose Garden and Coliseum: casual sportswear such as bermudas, toreadors, skirts, sweaters.

Since the above statement does not cover all situations, we encourage you to inquire about appropriate and acceptable dress for particular occasions if you are uncertain.

### Notes

To Sunday dinner at the College, students wear church clothes, with no hats.

Kerchiefs are not worn in class or chapel. Kerchiefs are not worn in the dining hall except on Saturday night for supper nor in the library except

on Saturday afternoon.

Gym suits, jodphurs, slacks, or shorts are not worn in Johnson Hall at any time during the day; slacks or shorts with a coat may, however, be worn when a student is signing in on an s.p. and time does not permit her return to the dormitory to change. Gym suits, jodphurs, slacks, or shorts are not worn in Hunter and Joyner before 6:00 p.m. except that nonresident students are permitted to wear physical education clothes while going to and from physical education classes from the day students' room by the way of the back steps at the east end of Johnson Hall.

Sunbathing attire is permitted only on breezeways between the dorm and at the pool. There is no sunbathing on Sunday except on the sun decks.

Regulation clothing for physical education classes is purchased on campus. Gym shoes are needed for most physical education classes.

White dresses are needed by sophomores and seniors for Commencement week end.

#### LAUNDRY

- 1. The laundry, located in the basement of Faircloth, accepts only flat work.
- 2. Each student is allowed 2 sheets, 2 pillowcases, 1 bedspread, 4 terry cloth items and 1 bath mat per week.
- 3. Each piece of laundry must have name tapes sewn (not ironed) on the hem in the corner. Fitted sheets must have name tags sewn on four corners.

- 1. Students must obtain keys to their rooms and closets from the house director before moving in. Keys must be returned before leaving the college. If keys are turned in promptly the dollar will be refunded.
- 2. The college cannot be held responsible for articles misplaced or lost. Students should keep closets locked at all times, and rooms should be locked when students are absent from the college.
- 3. Students may not display pictures or pennants on the walls or doors of their rooms by use of any adhesive material or by driving nails or tacks in the plaster. Pennants and pictures must be hung from the molding by means of picture hangers.

4. Students may not paint furniture or rooms nor mar the glass in the doors with paint, stickers, adhesives or names. Students will be re-

quired to pay for damage done to college property.

5. Furniture must not be removed from any room without permission from the house director.

6. Curtain rods must be left in rooms.

7. Students may not keep animals or birds in the dormitories.

8. Fire Safety rulings require the following:

- a. No electrical appliance of any kind may be used in a dormitory unless it is Underwriters' Laboratories listed.
- Electrical cooking appliances and irons may not be used in students' rooms. Pressing Rooms and Kitchenettes are provided.
- Extension cords may not be used except when absolutely necessary; and, then, only heavy-duty cords may be used.

d. Metal trash cans are recommended.

### FIRE DRILLS

A siren will be the signal to clear all dormitories.

1. Turn on light in your room.

2. Leave door open. Fire warden will close it.

3. Put on coat and shoes.

- 4. Walk (not run) *quietly*, single file on your side of the hall towards assigned exit.\*
- 5. Go straight to designated place some distance from building and wait quietly while your fire warden checks roll.

6. Remain in group until instructed to return to dormitory.

7. After groups return to dormitory, fire wardens report to Fire Chief in Dean of Students' Office.

# \* Assigned Exits

The dividing line for each hall is the social room and telephone corridor. Those who live on the north end of the second, third and fourth floor halls leave by stairway at the north end of the building. Those who live on the south end of second, third, and fourth floor halls leave by stairway at the south end of the building. First floor residents may leave by exit near telephone booths. These passageways must never be blocked.

#### DINING ROOM

1. No dishes, silver, trays or other equipment may be taken from the dining room without the permission of the dining room hostess.

2. No dinner may be taken from the dining room at any family-style meal. Students who are too ill to come to the dining room for their meals should report to the infirmary.

3. Books and coats must be left outside the dining room.

4. Arrangements for dinner guests are made with the dining room hostess immediately after lunch or at 4:45 p.m. Arrangements for Sunday dinner (1:15 p.m.) guests must be made not later than 9:00 a.m.

5. All meals are strictly cash.

6. Students bringing guests into the dining room for any family-style meal are requested to pay for the meal in advance. If this is not done, it will be necessary for the hostess to bring a slip to the table, which the student must sign, in order that she can pay for the meal later. Students having cafeteria guests pay the cashier or the dining room hostess before leaving the cafeteria.

Breakfast .....\$.70 Dinner ..... 

7. After the blessing, no seats may be reserved for guests or students without permission from the dining room hostess.

#### DAILY PROGRAM

Rising bell       7:15         Breakfast       7:30-8:15         First class       8:25         Second class       9:25         Chapel       10:30         Third class       11:05         Fourth class       12:05         P.M.       12:15-1:15         Fifth class       2:00         Sixth class       3:00         First dinner bell**       5:50         Second dinner bell       6:00         Dinner       6:05         Study hour       7:30-10:00         Closing bell Sunday-Thursday nights       11:00         Closing bell Friday night       11:30         Closing bell Saturday night       12:00		
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Sunday dinner—1:15 p.m.

<sup>\*</sup>Lunch on Saturday-12:00-12:45 p.m.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Saturday dinner (Cafeteria)—5:30-6:15 p.m. Sunday Breakfast—8:15-9:00 a.m.

#### HEALTH

- 1. The blue blank containing a record of pre-entrance physical examination and immunizations against smallpox, typhoid fever, tetanus, and poliomyelitis must be in the possession of the Health Service before matriculation.
- 2. Each fall, a mobile X-ray unit will be on the campus for two days, and every student is urged to have a chest X-ray made as part of the program to prevent the spread of tuberculosis.

3. Infirmary hours are as follows:

THROUGH FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
8:00-10:00 a.m.	8:00-10:00 a.m.	8:30-9:00 a.m.
1:00- 2:00 p.m.	12:30- 1:30 p.m.	1:45-2:15 p.m.
6:30- 7:00 p.m.	6:00- 6:45 p.m.	6:00-7:00 p.m.

Doctor's hours are as follows:

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday

9:00 to 10:00 a.m.

- 4. Visiting hours for students are 4-5 p.m. and 6:30-7:00 p.m. Only Meredith students and parents are allowed to visit infirmary patients.
- 5. Infirmary rules are as follows:
  - (a) The lights will be turned off for all bed patients at 10:00 p.m.
  - (b) Students in isolation for contagious diseases are not allowed to receive outside visitors or fellow students.
  - (c) Patients with minor illnesses and cold symptoms should come to the Infirmary before 7:00 p.m. except for acute symptoms.
  - (d) All students confined to the infirmary are excused for classes missed. Absences are not excused for students who are ill in their rooms.
  - (e) Nurses and the physician are available at all hours for accidents and emergencies.
  - (f) Only minor illnesses and emergencies are treated in the infirmary.
  - (g) Major illnesses are referred to physicians off the campus or to family physicians.
  - (h) Ambulatory patients will go to the dining hall for meals.
  - (i) Students in the infirmary are not to receive outside food unless approved by the Student Health Service.
  - (j) The Health Service alone is responsible for the diagnosis and treatment of the students on the campus.
  - (k) The notification of parents regarding the illness of students is the responsibility of the Health Service staff, and fellow students are asked to withhold information prior to official action.
  - (1) Students are not to use sun lamps, of any type, unless ordered by the College Physician or under the direction of a physician.
- 6. All appointments with physicians off the campus are made through the infirmary.
- 7. Health fees which are included in the resident fee, cover all costs of service rendered by the Health Service except tonics, vaccines, special

prescriptions, X-rays, and consultations off the campus. Antibiotics and special drugs are not covered by the resident fee. These must be paid for at the time secured from the infirmary.

8. Any student having any physical defect or known disease or disability

is required to make this known to the Health Service.

#### CLASS ABSENCES

Absences from classes because of illness, when certified as directed below, will be excused.

- 1. A resident student who misses classes while confined to the infirmary will be given by the infirmary staff the proper form for requesting that such absences be excused.
- 2. In like manner, a similar form will be given to a resident student if an appointment with a physician off the campus is going to require her to be absent from class. All such appointments, even those with out-of-town physicians, must be cleared in advance with the infirmary.
- 3. A resident student who becomes ill at home and incurs class absences before returning to the campus is upon her return to report to the infirmary and secure the proper form for requesting that such absences be excused.
- 4. A non-resident student is to secure from the office of the Registrar the proper form for requesting that class absences caused by illness be excused. The completed form should be taken to the Registrar's office on the day the student returns to classes.

# FINANCIAL PROCEDURES

## Student Pay

Student self-help pay will be distributed by check at the mid-point and at the end of each semester.

#### Canceled Checks

In the case of returned checks, the Business Office will collect from the student 50c for the first check and \$1.00 for any which may follow.

# Activity Fee

Each student pays an activity fee of \$19.35 which is distributed in the following way:

S.G.A\$	1.75
M.C.A	.80
M.R.A	.60
Societies	.90
Acorn	1.60
Oak Leaves	4.45
Twig	3.45
Playhouse	1.00
Class Dues	4.70
Nonresident Students	.10

\$19.35

#### LIBRARY

Hours: Monday-Friday

SATURDAY

SUNDAY

8:10 a.m.-10:00 p.m.

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8:10 a.m.-5:45 p.m. 2:00-5:00 p.m.

The library is closed during chapel periods.

Students may borrow general books for two weeks, or for a shorter period, determined by the demand for the book. At the expiration of two weeks, books may be renewed for two weeks, provided that they are not needed by other persons. To renew books bring them to library and have them recharged. Any book may be recalled by the librarian when needed in the library.

Students must have permission from the librarian to use or to borrow

books from other libraries in the city.

Students found with missing library books in their possession will be

dealt with at the discretion of the Judicial Board.

Students may not come to the library wearing kerchiefs or with hair rolled up except on Saturday afternoon. Kerchiefs are to be neatly arranged. No curlers should be visible.

Food and drinks are not to be brought into the library.

Ink is provided at the circulation desk. Do not bring bottles of ink to the library.

All library fines must be paid in the library before a student will be

permitted to begin examinations.

The library is open on Sunday for study from 2:00-5:00 p.m. No books may be checked out at this time.

# Meredith Recreation Association



Lynn Dodge

Lynn DodgePresident
Carrie Frampton Vice-President
Ruth Ann WaltersSecretary
Paula TudorTreasurer
Judy Ratley
Monogram Club Representative
Dwan Thomas
Hoofprint Club Representative
Susan Hauser Social Chairman
Rachel BlantonPublicity Chairman
Dianne MitchellBusiness Manager
Jo PaylorDay Student Representative
Mrs. Helena AllenSponsor

### Managers:

ArcheryMary Turner	BadmintonBecky Kiser
GolfPatty Tollefsrud	BasketballJean Stafford
	Individual Sports_Beverly Barefoot
VolleyballAnne Watson	TennisPeggy Timmerman

Every student of Meredith College is a member of the Meredith Recreation Association. The M.R.A. Board, composed of student representatives, meets weekly to tackle the task of organizing and co-ordinating all extracurricular recreation and athletic activities of the college. The activities of Corn Huskin', Stunt, Christmas caroling, and Play Day are directed by the M.R.A.

Major sports sponsored by the M.R.A. are basketball, volleyball, softball, tennis, badminton, and ping pong. Tournaments in each of these sports are held throughout the seasons. Individual sports, such as hiking, bicycling, and bowling are participated in throughout the year. The Tennis Club, Hoofprint Club, and the Monogram Club are under the direction of the M.R.A., but each functions under the leadership of its own officers. Those who take one semester of horseback riding are eligible for the Hoofprint Club; students earning 1,000 points become members of the Monogram Club; any student interested in tennis is eligible for membership in the Tennis Club.

A basketball trophy is awarded at the close of the basketball season

to the class winning the tournament.

A volleyball key is awarded at the end of the volleyball season to the freshman who has shown the most teamwork, loyalty, and proficiency in volleyball. A representative from the freshman class is chosen on the basis of participation and interest shown in activities sponsored by the M.R.A. A trophy is awarded at the end of the year to the member of the student body who is considered by the Meredith Recreation Association Board to have contributed most to athletics during the year.

# MONOGRAM POINT SYSTEM

PresidentVice-President		Secretary Treasurer	125
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Dance groups:  Membership in club per Participation in spring	er semester.	nances	50 75
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Stunt activities: Class Chairman			75



SUSAN CHAPMAN

# Meredith Christian Association

Susan Chapman	President
Mary Owens	Vice-President
	Social Chairman
Betsy Constable	Social Actions
Ayn Sullivan	Secretary
	Treasurer
Susan Norman	Worship Chairman
Alice Smith	

Religious Emphasis Week Chairman Kathy Booth......Forums Chairman Martha-Gatlin Phillips...Tutorial Chairman

	Martina-Gattin Phillips I more Chairman
Sandra Vernon, Susan Fle	tcherBlind School
Hilda Myers, Ellen Webb	Dorothea Dix
Kyleen Graybeal	Day Student Representative
Norma Hanchey	Baptist Representative
Virginia Jones	
Paula Ward	Methodist Representative
Jean Wolf	Presbyterian Representative
Nancy Stroud	
Jane Lockman	Lutheran Representative
To Be Elected	Freshman Representative
	Faculty Advisor
	Pastor Advisor
	Director of Religious Activities

Upon entrance at Meredith College all students working toward a degree become members of the campus religious organization, the Meredith Christian Association.

Features of this organization include a daily vesper service which aims at devotional growth, and a series of forums which stimulate intellectual understanding.

Opportunities for service are afforded by the extension program, which includes a reading and visitation program at the State School for the Blind, visitation at Dorothea Dix Hospital, and the opportunities to work with Negro children and to work at the Raleigh Rescue Mission.

In the fall the M.C.A. sponsors with the State College B.S.U. the

Freshman-Transfer Party in the court.

The M.C.A. encourages each student to become acquainted with the Raleigh churches and to move her membership to the church of her choice. In order to meet the ministers of these churches informally, each student is invited to the "Meet the Ministers" Tea.

These activities carry out the purpose of the Meredith Christian Association: to provide both the means of understanding the truths of God in Christ and the opportunities for expressing them by creative service; to strengthen, correlate, and unify all of the separate religious denominations into one campus fellowship with an all-inclusive program of religious activity, and at the same time to encourage each student in appreciation of her particular denominational heritage.

#### **ASTROTEKTON**



BETTY DUCKWORTH President

#### PHILARETIAN



Ann Crockett
President

# Meredith Societies

You will hear first at Meredith, if you haven't already heard, about the two societies, the Astrotekton and the Philaretian. You will be attentively "rushed" by members of both of these societies. You will have parties and serenades, and you will hear much about the activities and the girls in each. There is the keenest competition between these two societies for the affections of you new girls. Heed an old girl's advice and don't lose your heart too quickly.

The societies have a hall in which monthly meetings are held. Pro-

grams at meetings are social activities of fun and fellowship!

The Astro Society, whose colors are gold and white, has the motto, "He builds too low who builds beneath the stars." Its mascot is Billy Astro, a goat. Each year the Astrotekton Society offers the Carter-Upchurch medal for the best essay written by one of its members.

The colors of the Phi Society are blue and white; its motto is "Plain living and high thinking," and its mascot is Milton, a bear. Each year the society offers a medal for the best literary contribution written by one of its members. Many worthy projects are also sponsored by the Phis each year.

#### **OFFICERS**

BETTY DUCKWORTH	President	ANN CROCKETT
PEGGY NOFFSINGER	Vice-President	BET GARRETT
SUSAN ROEBUCK	Secretary	KATHY GOODALL
CATHY WALSTON		KAREN WATSON
MARY TURNER	Sergeant-at-Arms	NANCY TYREN
PAM PERNELL		Norma Hanchey
ANN HAMMOND		PUFFY CARRAWAY
		SUZANNE WARE
PAULA WILLIAMS	Sophomore Marshal	JEAN LINDSEY
HELEN RICH	Devotional Chairman.	MARY WAYNE WATSON
DONNA COOPER	Publicity Chairman	HAPPY NEAL
		ANITA BURT
		Mr. James H. Eads

# Student Publications

Student publications make up a great part of the extracurricular activity on the college campus. The school newspaper, the magazine, and the annual are three indispensable factors of a full college life.

## THE ACORN

The Acorn is the literary magazine of the college, published quarterly by the students. With its aim as more and better creative writing, the Acorn tries to maintain a high standard and to help train and encourage students who are interested in creative writing.

## ACORN STAFF

TICORN DIAIT	
Ellen Warren	Editor
CATHEY RODGERS	
HAPPY NEAL	Art Editor
Brenda Smith	Senior Editor
CORNELIA LITTLE	Junior Editor
BARBARA WALKER	Sophomore Editor
To Be Selected	Freshman Editor
JUDY RATLEY	Business Manager
BETH JOHNSON, MARY ANNE McCURDY	Typists
LIBBA WATKINS, GINGER HUGHEY, MARTHA I	Poage,
MILLICENT WOOD	Circulation Managers
Dr. Mary Lynch Johnson	Sponsor

#### OAK LEAVES

The college annual, *Oak Leaves*, will be your book of memories. In it, college activities and community living are portrayed in their varied aspects—from the social and athletic activities to the expression of the beauty of the college campus.

#### EDITORIAL STAFF

MARTHA ELLEN WALKER	Editor
JESSE DIXON	Editor
GAY FELTONStatus	Editor
PUFFY CARRAWAY	Editor
LINDA GALLEHUGHOrganization	Editor
SUSAN VANDERSLICE Faculty	Editor
MICHELE TEW Features	
Dr. Thomas C. Parramore	

#### GENERAL STAFF

Beverly Barefoot	Ann Hill	Jeanne Spach
Sandra Burgess	Connie Holman	Judy Shepherd
Kathy Goodall	Judy Kornegay	Dwan Thomas
Cherie Gulley	Brooks McGirt	Nancy Yates
Donna Haire	Ryllis Miller	

#### **BUSINESS STAFF**

JACKIE BOONE	Business Manager
VICKIE TART	Senior
ANN HENRY	
Eva Neil	Sophomore
To Be Elected	Freshman
To BE SELECTED.	Sponsor

#### THE TWIG

The Twig, the college newspaper, is a permanent record of all that happens at Meredith. As well as covering the news, The Twig brings features, cartoons, humor, special columns, and student opinions. Since you help make this campus news, why not help write it? To anyone with journalistic ambition and interest, The Twig offers a real opportunity for newspaper work.

# TWIG STAFF

JANE LEONARD	.Editor
ANNE STONE Associate	<b>Editor</b>
MARY WATSON NOOE	
JOY O'BERRY, SHERA JACKSONFeature	
GINGER HUGHEY, JUDY KORNEGAY	
KAREN BAALS	rtoonist
BARBARA BAILEY, CATHEY RODGERS	
GRACE HOYT Photogram	grapher
Dr. Norma Rose	

#### REPORTERS

Lynn Boland	Betty King	Belinda Smith
Linda Burrows	Ann Robertson	Susan Soloway
Sharon Ervin	Joyce Robertson	Mary Wayne Watson
Bunny Hinkle	Nance Rumley	

#### BUSINESS STAFF

SUZANNE GUTHRIE	Business Manager
DIXIE BENNETT	Advertising Manager
Delila Edenfield	Circulation Manager
BONNIE POPLIN	
BECKY BATSON	
Dr. Lois Frazier	

	ADVERTISING STAFE	3
Seale Bagnal	Lynn Hemphill	Michele Tew
Dudley Barbee	Sandra Holder	Joyce Wilson
Phyllis Edwards	Susan Laird	Linda Woolard
Susan Fletcher	Betty McNeill	
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	TYPISTS	
Linda Barnett Lynn Hemphill	Sarah Jane Hutchins Kelly Knott	Barbara Pilloud

	CIRCULATION STAFF	
Jesse Dixon	Mary Kathryn Moffitt	Bonnie Poplin

# Meredith College Playhouse

Officers To Be Elected

You may be a competent sportswoman, you may be an enthusiastic newshound, or you may be a glamorous socialite; but in any event, we hope that you have dramatic aspirations. For on the Meredith campus there is an organization which will kindle that spark of interest into dramatic ability and stage poise. The Playhouse offers you an opportunity to gain experience in every phase of dramatic work. If you want to act, you can try out for any of the productions given during the year. If you prefer to be the "power behind the throne," you can work on the staging, properties, make-up, or costuming committees. If you do not want to take an active part at all, you can spur our endeavors on by attending the productions. You don't have to buy a ticket for each production; for when you pay your activity fee in September, you purchase admission to a year's enjoyment of Playhouse performances. We want you to come out for plays because of a sincere interest in dramatics. We believe that this interest of yours will increase when you learn that students from the neighboring colleges take the male roles in our major productions.

Full-fledged membership in the Playhouse is awarded according to the amount of work in at least one major production. We don't guarantee a Hollywood contract but we do guarantee lots of fun and a good work-

ing knowledge of play production.

# Meredith College Chorus

Officers to be elected in the fall.

The Meredith College Chorus ranks as one of the major choral organizations of the state. The chorus provides music for various college functions including Founders' Day, Religious Emphasis Week services, the Commencement exercises, and presents concerts at Christmas and in the spring each year. The Chorus and smaller ensembles chosen from it appear on radio and television broadcasts and on programs for civic clubs and other organizations. Membership in this choral organization is a privilege which may be enjoyed by Meredith students. A fee of \$1.00 per semester is charged.

# Honor Societies

# KAPPA NU SIGMA

Organized in 1923, Kappa Nu Sigma Scholastic Honor Society takes its name from three Greek words, *Kallos, Nous*, and *Sophia*, meaning *beauty, soundmindedness*, and *intelligence*. The purpose of the society is to promote scholarship at Meredith. Full membership is limited to seniors who are elected at the end of their junior or senior year.

At its annual lecture, Kappa Nu Sigma taps associate members from the junior class and recognizes the sophomores with the highest average. At the spring meeting new members are received, and the Helen Price Scholarship, named for a former sponsor, is awarded to the freshman having the

highest average in her class.

#### SILVER SHIELD

The idea of the Silver Shield, the honorary leadership society on campus, originated with members of the class of 1933, but no definite organization was set up until the spring of 1935. The purpose of the society is to foster a good spirit on the campus and to recognize outstanding students who have contributed to life at Meredith. The Silver Shield keeps scrapbooks which contain materials needed for reference by students, including club constitutions and records of club activities, college and class songs, and college and class traditions. These materials are kept in the library.

New members of the society are selected from each rising and present Senior Class by the members of the organization and the faculty. The selection is made on the basis of Christian character, constructive

leadership, service to the school, and scholarship.

#### ALPHA PSI OMEGA

In May, 1938, the Eta Nu chapter of Alphi Psi Omega, national dramatics fraternity, was installed with eleven members. The Playhouse was proud to have placed the first national honorary society on the

Meredith campus.

The Alpha Psi Omega in no way displaces the Playhouse, for it is not a producing organization. Its function is to give recognition to those girls who excel in dramatic endeavor. Any Playhouse member who earns at least fifty points is eligible for membership.

#### ALPHA PSI OMEGA POINT SYSTEM

15-20 points—major role in a long play

10-14 points—major role in a short play

5-10 points—minor role in a long play

2- 6 points—minor role in a short play

15-20 points—directing a major play (three acts)

10-14 points—directing a short play (one act)

0-10 points—work in costuming (making, securing, etc.)
0-15 points—work in staging (lighting, properties, construction, etc.)

0-10 points—work in publicity (posters, tickets, music, make-up)

#### SIGMA ALPHA IOTA

OFFICERS TO BE ELECTED.

JANE SULLIVAN Advisor

The Beta Zeta Chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota, National Professional Music Fraternity for women, was chartered in January, 1949. Members chosen from music majors are admitted on the basis of interest, excellence in scholarship, musical ability, and faculty recommendation.

# Class Officers

#### SENIOR

SHAN PRUITT	President
DIANE JACKSON	Vice-President
LINDA HAIGLER	
SANDRA HOLDER	
Dr. Leslie Syron	

Class Colors: purple and gold

#### JUNIOR

Patsy Wilson	President
NANCY HINSON	
BOOTSIE THOMPSON	
MARY HELEN SIMMS	
Dr. Roger Crook	

Class Colors: blue and white

#### SOPHOMORE

PEGGY WILLIAMS	t
BONNIE SPARKS	t
PAM GOURLEY	
JEANNE DONALDSON	
DR. RALPH McLain Sponsor	

Class Colors: green and white

#### FRESHMAN

(To be elected in the fall.)

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer
Sponsor

Class Colors: rainbow colors

#### BAPTIST STUDENT UNION

The Baptist Student Union of Meredith College has a three-fold purpose. It is: to strengthen, correlate, and unify all of the Baptist religious activities into one campus unit with a strong central base of operation; to provide for the Baptist students at Meredith an informative program concerning Baptist doctrine, institutions, and affairs; and to project a dynamic program of missionary education through LISTEN (Love Impels Sacrifice Toward Every Need) and to provide definite channels for contribution and service.

These objectives are sought through activities such as the Church-Student Picnic which seeks to introduce new students to the Raleigh Baptist churches and personnel through a tour of some of these churches, a picnic, and fellowship; the Freshman-Transfer Party (sponsored with the Meredith Christian Association and the State College Baptist Student Union); and participation in discussions and study groups of special interest to Baptist students.

Intercollegiate activities include the Statewide BSU Convention in the fall, the mid-year retreat of the Meredith and State College BSU's, the annual Spring Leadership Training Conference, and various programs of study and fellowship in cooperation with other schools in the area.

The Baptist Student Union of Meredith College offers the opportunity for individual and cooperative growth or service through all of these activities. Membership is upon voluntary commitment of the individual student to the BSU through the signing of a statement consistent with the purposes of the organization.

#### MODEL UNITED NATIONS

The Middle South United Nations Model General Assembly is "devoted to building informed and intelligent public support for the United Nations, for the principles embodied in its Charter and in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights."

Each Spring the General Assembly convenes on the campus of one of the forty-five member schools. The four-hundred delegates are divided into four committees which study resolutions which have been presented by the member nations. Later, the group meets as a whole in the General Assembly to discuss several of the more important resolutions and to vote on them as the real General Assembly does.

All interested students are encouraged to participate in this most worth-while program.

#### STATE STUDENT LEGISLATURE

Chairman: Ann Crockett Secretary: Ann Henry

The State Student Legislature invites into its membership all students who are interested in the operations of state government. It strives to give its participants a knowledge of the workings of the state legislature.

The State Student Legislature meets annually in February in Raleigh. There are two delegates in the Senate and the House with four alternates and as many official observers who are interested. All students who are interested are eligible to work on the bill which is presented in February.

# Clubs

Extracurricular life is incomplete unless it includes active participation in at least one or two campus clubs. Membership in some of these clubs is open to all interested students. In others, it is restricted to those girls who take certain subjects. No student is allowed to belong to more than three departmental clubs.

#### ALPHA RHO TAU ART CLUB

The purpose of this organization is to promote and encourage interest in art and to supplement the art curriculum with outside activities.

OFFICERS TO BE ELECTED.

Mr. Grove Robinson.....Sponsor

#### BARBER SCIENCE CLUB

DIANE PARKER	President
Jean Stafford	Vice-President
KAREN WALTERS	
CATHY WALSTON	Treasurer
DR. MARY YARBROUGH, DR. JOHN YARBROUGH	

The Barber Science Club, organized in 1929, elects its members from students majoring in a science, those having a science as a related field, or those taking a science course as an elective. Its purpose is to promote interest in science among the entire student body and to provide an outlet for the special scientific interests of its members. Programs by students, lectures, movies, and field trips are arranged for the monthly meetings.

## BUNYAN YATES TYNER CHAPTER STUDENT NEA

MILLICENT WOOD	President
BECKY EATMAN	Vice-President
BOOTSIE THOMPSON	
Dava Drew	
MISS LILA BELL	

Future Teachers of America emphasizes ideals in keeping with the great Horace Mann tradition. Established as a project of the National Education Association, it seeks to orient the student into his profession, to acquaint him with outstanding educators of the state and nation, to promote the aims and objectives of modern education; it places primary emphasis on the qualities of dependable character and leadership. The club is under the immediate sponsorship of the members of the Education Department.

#### CANADAY MATHEMATICS CLUB

Brenda Carole Jones	President
KATE HUGGINS	Vice-President
REBECCA EDMONDSON	
PHYLLIS EDWARDS	
Dr. Charles A. Davis	

The Canaday Mathematics Club was organized in the spring of 1945. The purpose of the club is to promote interest in mathematics and to provide information on its current application. Membership is comprised of girls having a major or related field in mathematics and those who have completed three hours in college mathematics. Freshmen are eligible for associate membership.

#### COLTON ENGLISH CLUB

MARY KATHRYN MOFFITT	President
BARBARA BAILEY, JUDY KORNEGAY	Vice-Presidents
JOYCE ROBERTSON	Secretary-Treasurer
MARY GAY SUMNER	Publicity
SHERA JACKSON	Social Chairman
JOY O'BERRY, CATHY SEARS	Projects
Dr. Ione Kemp Knight	Sponsor

The Colton English Club invites into its membership all students who are majoring in English or are taking a related field in English. By extracurricular association it tries to add to the interest aroused in classes of literature and writing.

#### CREATIVE WRITING CLUB

OFFICERS TO BE ELECTED.

D	R.	MARY	LYNCH	JOHNSONSpc	onsor
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The Creative Writing Club was organized in the fall of 1960. The purpose of this organization is to promote more creative compositions by students. During the monthly meetings, compositions by the members are read and evaluated by group critical discussion. Students who are actively interested in creative writing are eligible for membership.

#### FREEMAN RELIGION CLUB

OFFICERS TO BE ELECTED IN THE FALL

The Freeman Religion Club was organized in the spring of 1945. It exists for the purpose of studying the thought, problems, and current trends in the field of religion. Membership is comprised of students having a major or a related field in religion and those who are taking or have had an elective in that field.

#### HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

Judith Alexander	President
Ветн Ѕмітн	First Vice-President
JANET BRIDGEN	
NANCY YATES	
LINDA S. JOHNSON	
Jo Carole Brumley	Reporter
Mrs. Marilyn Stuber	

The Home Economics Club is open to those who have chosen Home Economics as a part of their field of concentration. It strives to increase interest in and appreciation of all phases of home economics. Its members study their state and national organizations—and become acquainted with leaders in the field. The club encourages a better standard of living on the campus and fosters high ideals and appreciation of home life.

## HOOF PRINT CLUB

DIANE PARKER	President
JEAN STAFFORD	Vice-President
Betsy Constable	Secretary
BEVERLY BAREFOOT.	
Mrs. Mary Edwards	

The Hoof Print Club is composed of students who have taken one semester or more of horseback riding while at Meredith. The main activities of the club include sponsoring the Spring Horse Show and the breakfast rides. The club encourages and promotes good horsemanship among its members.

#### INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

DUDLEY BARBEE	President
GINGER HUGHEY	Vice-President
	Secretary-Treasurer
	Sponsors
Dr. Sarah Lemmon	portiors

The aim of the *International Relations Club* is to secure an understanding of world affairs, to inspire a permanent interest in international problems, and to provide opportunity for friendly relations with people of all nationalities. Membership is open to all students who are seriously interested in international affairs.

#### LA TERTULIA SPANISH CLUB

To Be Elected	President
ISABEL EATON	Vice-President
JEANNIE SPACH	
Anne Pretlow	
Mr. W. R. Ledford.	

La Tertulia is made up of the students who are taking or have taken Spanish. The aim is to promote interest in the Spanish-speaking countries and peoples.

#### LES AMIES FRANCAISES

LINDA MASHBURN	President
TO BE ELECTED.	
LINDA HOLLINGSWORTH.	
Mrs. Joelle Gatling.	

The purpose of *Les Amies Françaises* is to foster interest in and a better understanding of the French language and culture.

## MAE GRIMMER GRANDDAUGHTERS' CLUB

HAPPY NEAL	President
ELIZABETH BREWER	
MARY HELEN SIMMS	
MARY TURNER	
MRS. MARGARET CRAIG MARTIN	

The Mae Grimmer Granddaughters' Club is composed of those students whose mothers or grandmothers are alumnae of Meredith. The club provides for social life and fellowship among those students who have a Meredith heritage.

## PRICE LATIN CLUB

BETTY McNeill	President
LINDA SEARS	
Jo Ann Crook	
To Be Selected	

The Price Latin Club was organized in the spring of 1954. The purpose of the club is to foster interest in Latin and the classics and to relate them to modern living. All Meredith students who are enrolled in Latin courses or have had at least one year of Latin at Meredith are eligible.

#### PSYCHOLOGY CLUB

Marsha Beard	President
BET GARRETT	Vice-President
HILDA MYERS	
KAY PRUETT	Treasurer
To Be Selected.	Sponsor

The Psychology Club was organized in the spring of 1950 for the purpose of promoting interest in psychology and providing information on its current application. Membership is composed of students taking or having had psychology. Students with interest in this field are eligible for associate membership.

## SOCIOLOGY CLUB

CAROLE EVANS	President
SUSAN RAY	Vice-President
Brenda Sizemore	Secretary-Treasurer
DONNA VONCANNON	

Martha PoageSocial	Chairman
Dr. Leslie Syron	Sponsor

The Sociology Club seeks to give its members a wider knowledge of current social problems. Each year the club undertakes a special project of general interest. All majors and other students expressing a genuine interest in the field are eligible for membership.

### TOMORROW'S BUSINESS WOMEN

SHERRY ALLSBROOK	President
BECKY BATSON	Vice-President
LYNN HEMPHILL	Secretary
KELLY KNOTT	
DIXIE BENNETT	Program Chairman
Dr. Lois Frazier	Sponsor

Tomorrow's Business Women, organized in the fall of 1943, seeks to promote and to encourage interest in business education and to develop those qualities which are needed for success in the business world. Sophomores, juniors, or seniors who are majoring in business or economics or who are taking an elective in business are eligible for membership.

#### YOUNG DEMOCRATS CLUB

JULIANNE PARHAM	President
BETTY McNeill	Vice-President
BONNIE POPLIN.	
Delila Edenfield	
To Be Selected	

The Young Democrats Club is an organization made up of active Democrats in the Meredith Community. During the year the club participates in state-party activities and college rallies. Speakers from areas of the party and government participate in the club meetings.

#### YOUNG REPUBLICANS CLUB

To Be Elected	President
TO BE ELECTED.	Vice-President
TO BE ELECTED.	
To Be Elected	2
Mrs. Evelyn Simmons	

# Traditions

Dear to the hearts of all Meredith girls are the traditions they share

with all the Meredith girls of the past years.

The first of these traditions during the school year is a Corn Huskin' Bee, sponsored by the Meredith Recreation Association. Strange looking creatures appear for an evening of festivities! The faculty and students dress in costumes of their own creation and appear at dinner to enjoy the skits given by each class and by the faculty. There are contests such as hog-calling, apple bobbing, and, of course, corn husking. Recognition is made of all the winners and of the two classes with the most original costumes and songs.

Before Thanksgiving each class busies itself to select a room for storing props, costumes and scripts for the approaching Stunt Night. Each class presents an original stunt, for the best of which a silver cup is awarded. A class winning the cup for three successive years is per-

mitted to keep the trophy.

The night before Christmas holidays begin, the Student Government Council, M.R.A., and M.C.A. sponsor a formal dinner for the students and faculty, and later the same night the student body fills special buses

and goes caroling through the city.

Beginning the second semester is the Rush Week climaxed by Decision Day, when each new student chooses the society in which she desires membership. Each society does one day of rushing, and on Decision Day the new girls choose their society by walking to breakfast through the lines of the Phis or the Astros, which are formed by the old members on either side of the dining room doors. The last chance to change their minds is at assembly time when the society lines form again at the auditorium doors. The votes are counted and the winning society announced.

As the weather begins to warm, the M.R.A. sponsors the annual Play Day. A half holiday is declared, and a duke elected from the faculty with a duchess elected from the student body reigns over an afternoon of games and contests between faculty and students. There is also competition between the dormitories climaxed by a picnic in the court.

The college plays host to high school seniors during the May Day week-end. A May queen and a maid-of-honor are chosen by popular vote of the student body and each class has two representatives in the May Court. It is customary that a girl be in the May Court only once until her graduating year, when she may become the queen or maid of honor. The sophomores serenade the May queen on May Day morning and honor her with a May Day breakfast. At the May Day breakfast the president of the college is presented with a May basket of flowers by the sophomore class. Earlier, seniors have been given corsages by their little sisters. At the crowning of the May queen in the afternoon, she is entertained by the folk dancers and the May pole dancers.

Once every college generation the faculty presents Lewis Carroll's Alice in Wonderland for the students.

There are also traditions for each of the classes. Each year the freshmen give a breakfast for the juniors and the juniors give the freshmen a party in Society Hall. The juniors also honor the seniors every

spring with the annual Junior-Senior banquet.

The big-sister tradition, probably the best loved one at Meredith, comes in the junior year. In late summer each junior receives a letter from her class president telling her the name and address of her "little sister," an incoming freshman, who is assigned to the junior as her special charge until the upperclassman is graduated.

Commencement week brings to light many more Meredith traditions. The sophomores especially look forward to the Class Day exercises during commencement. They set out on a daisy-picking excursion at sunrise and work eagerly to make the daisy chains to be used in the afternoon exercises. The white-clad sophomores hold the two daisy

chains and sing to their sister class as it marches through.

One night of that week at a grudge bonfire, each senior burns the article she has most disliked at Meredith, so that memories of Meredith will be only pleasant ones. On Saturday afternoon before commencement sophomores form the senior class numerals on the island at the lake; then, the seniors singing "The Queen of Our Hearts" march off to the grove to elect their permanent class officers. That evening the

seniors conduct the vesper services.

Besides the traditions already discussed, the classes are divided into the odd and the even classes, each with its distinctive customs. "Hail to the Even Spirit" is the song of the even girls written in response to "Them Bones," earlier established as the song of the odd classes. On Class Day the members of the odd classes wear black gloves on their left hands and the even girls give their little sisters a token bag of sticks and stones to protect them from the Odd Spirits' bones. The colors of all odd classes are blue and white until their junior year, when they take rainbow colors. Among the even classes, the leap-year classes use purple and gold; the other "evens" use green and white. The college colors are maroon and white and the college flower is the iris.

# Opportunities in Raleigh

In Raleigh, Meredith students have opportunities to visit the Legislature and government departments as well as the State Library, State Museum, State Museum of Art, and the Hall of History. Tickets for Raleigh Concert Music Association programs, Raleigh Chamber Music Series, Friends of the College Series, and Raleigh Little Theatre productions are available to students in addition to many interesting artists, lectures, and sports events brought to Raleigh by local organizations.

# Alma Mater

Words and music by former President R. T. Vann



#### DEDICATION HYMN

We build our school on Thee, O Lord To Thee we bring our common need; The loving heart, the helpful word, The tender thought, the kindly deed.

We work together in Thy sight, We live together in Thy love; Guide Thou our falt'ring steps aright, And lift our thoughts to heav'n above.

Hold Thou each hand to keep it just, Touch Thou our lips and make them pure; If Thou art with us, Lord, we must Be faithful friends and comrades sure.

We change, but Thou art still the same, The same good Master, Teacher, Friend; We change, but, Lord. we bear Thy name To journey with it to the end.

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Words by S. M. MAYER

# YOU'RE THE QUEEN OF OUR HEARTS, ALMA MATER

You're the queen of our hearts, Alma Mater; You hold a place that no other can fill. Each year, in passing, has bound us
And draws us closer still.
Like the sun in the east when 'tis rising,
A new day is dawning for thee.
Through the sunshine and tears
Of our dear college years,
You're the queen of our hearts, Alma Mater.

Words and music by Mary O'Kelly Peacock, '26

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21	Town	Betty Vann	1:34	3:20	D
22	First Baptist Church	Group	9:15	12:15	
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